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8 PAGES TODAY

Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam".

By June Jones

DR. JOHN KINNAMAN of Long Beach, California, an archaeologist for 53 years, who is in Hamlin for a series of lectures under sponsorship of Faith Methodist Church, declared Tuesday at a civic club luncheon that he became an archaeologist quite by chance when he was a lad of 10 summers.

"As a farm lad one summer day, as I walked bare-footed down a little lane, I stubbed my big toe on a sharp object," he declared. "After administering first aid to the toe, I returned to the spot to find that the sharp object was a fine specimen of an arrow-head. I dug it up, later adding hundreds to my collection. The enchantment and lure of the arrow-heads gave rise to further studies in archaeology and now at 88 years of age, I have devoted more than half a century to this fascinating study."

"YOUNG MAN," said the angry Anson father from the head of the stairs, as a young Hamlin swain sat with the man's daughter, "didn't I hear the clock strike three when you brought my daughter home?"

"You did," admitted the boy. "It was going to strike eleven, but I grabbed it and held the gong so it wouldn't disturb you."

The father muttered to himself, "Dawgone! Why didn't I think of that in my day?"

MRS. LYLE YOUNG, wife of the editor of The Monitor News, has already given up on her New Year's resolutions, according to a squib in her column, "She Sez":

This year firmly I resolved To check my list with care, And cancel all the promises That looked suspicious there. The total reformation.

That the promises could be sounded mighty noble, but They didn't sound like me. And so each resolution

Got a frank and final "Nix," Which means I stay a stinker All thru nineteen fifty-six!

JESS PARRISH, band director at Hamlin High School, first of the week changed his name to a simpler and easily pronounced one—"Schwump."

It all came about as a result of his conniving two weeks ago with the wives of members of the Hamlin Lions Club as he planned the program for the recent ladies' night banquet. The Lions were derided and jeered and slammed so badly by the wives at the affair that some of the civic group suggested that Parrish be hanged in retribution.

When the club met Tuesday for the regular weekly luncheon, a regulation rope noose was suspended from the overhead beam of the meeting hall by some prankster Lion. A sign on the noose announced it was for Jess Parrish. So immediately upon entering the hall, Parrish announced that he was not that person—that he forthwith would be known as Schwump.

SILLY LITTLE DITTIES like the one below help to fill up this column:

A canner, exceedingly canny, One day remarked to his granny, "A canner can can." Anything that one can, But a canner can't can a can, can he?"

CORINNE SECOR writes a very pithy column in the Katy Railway's magazine that comes to our desk. We'd like to share some of her recent squibs:

The Supreme Court of the United States gives a man the right to open his wife's letters, but it doesn't give him the courage.

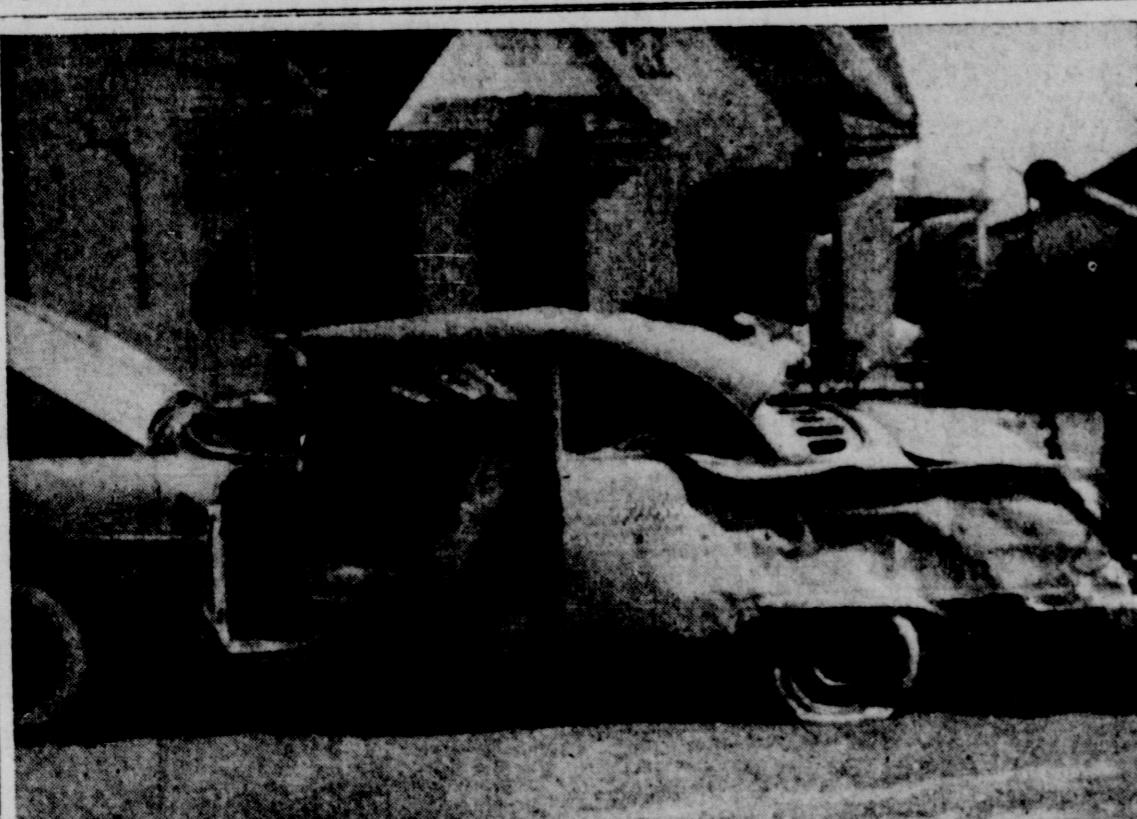
World's most tragic figure: The fellow who just shot a hole-in-one with nobody looking.

Subtlety is the art of saying what you think and getting out of range before it is understood.

On a questionnaire asking, "What has been the principal contribution of the automobile age?" a bright young freshman gave the following answer: "It has practically stopped horse stealing!"

Uncle Willie says he never could figure out how a fool and his money got together in the first place.

It's better to tell the truth than to try and remember what you said.



AUTOMOBILE IN WHICH THREE DIED last Friday afternoon a mile south of Stamford is shown above after it was towed to Hamlin. Victims of the two-car collision were Mr. and Mrs. David V. Hall and Forrest Lacey, all residents of Hamlin. The wrecked automobile had been placed near the Hamlin High School as a reminder to youthful drivers to drive carefully. Mrs. Hall was a waitress at a Hamlin drive-in, and Lacey was an oil field worker, with headquarters at a Hamlin hotel.

Herald One-Minute Polaroid Photo

Three from Hamlin Killed in Collision South of Stamford

Several Others In Colliding Cars Escape Injuries



DONOR OF THE FAMILY RESIDENCE FOR USE AS A COMMUNITY CLUB HOUSE AND MEMORIAL LIBRARY ON SOUTHWEST AVENUE A BY MRS. D. D. HARDEN (ABOVE) WAS ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK BY THE WOMAN'S FORUM. ALREADY PLANS ARE UNDERTAKEN FOR DEVELOPING THE LIBRARY WITH CONTRIBUTION OF BOOKS BY LOCAL CITIZENS, THE FORUM ANNOUNCES.

Dr. Price to Speak at Rotary Ladies' Night

Ladies' night banquet for the Hamlin Rotary Club has been set for the evening of February 17 at the Primary School cafeteria. It was announced this week by President J. E. Patterson of the civic group.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hall were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the Four-square Gospel Church in Hamlin, of which she was a member. Rev.

Archaeologist Tells Rotary Club About Visit to Queen of Sheba's Ancient Tomb

One of those present when the Queen of Sheba's mummified body was found in the ruins of ancient Egypt, Dr. John O. Kinnaman, eminent archaeologist of Long Beach, California, declared that when one of her arms moved as the wrappings were moved from the body, he led the procession in a quick exit, when he spoke at the Wednesday noon luncheon at the Hamlin Rotary Club.

The speaker, who is conducting a series of lectures on Biblical archaeology this week under sponsorship of the Faith Methodist Church, was introduced by the church's pastor, Rev. John Syrios.

Kinnaman, who spent 42 years in Egypt as an archaeologist, gave other descriptions of some of his experiences through the Near East. In huge caves at Thesis

AT CORPUS AIR BASE. Billy G. Deel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deel of Hamlin, has recently been transferred to the Corpus Christi Air Force Base at the Texas Gulf Coast city. He had returned last month from a tour of duty in the Far East.

Lubbock Woman to Speak in Series of Talks to Methodists

Mrs. C. C. Coffey of Lubbock, president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Conference, will speak at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening, February 10, according to the pastor, Rev. Darris Egger.

This is the fifth speaker in the series on Christian vocations. Mrs. Coffey speaks on the subject, "Leader Among Women." In addition to her duties as conference president, she teaches a large Sunday School class at the First Methodist Church in Lubbock.

The local WSCS members are giving a buffet supper in the parsonage at 5:45 Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Coffey.

Two more speakers in the series of Christian vocations include Joe Salem of Sudan, who speaks on "The Christian Businessman;" and Rev. Cecil Matthews of Lubbock, director of the Wesley Foundation at Texas Tech, who will speak on "The Christian Educator."

The public is invited to hear Mrs. Coffey Sunday evening, de-clarates Pastor Egger.

There are 66 countries, including the United States, which have Junior Red Cross organizations, totaling more than 45,000,000 members.

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Woman's Club, Library To Be Made of Harden Home

Service Pins Given To Hamlin Cubs in Monday Meeting

Presentation of one-year and two-year pins to 14 members of the Cub Scouts in Hamlin featured the monthly awards meeting of the various dens last Monday evening at the Primary School cafeteria.

Following an opening prayer by Joe Stephens, the following awards were presented:

One-year Pins — Fred Shave, Raymond Renfro, Butch Holland, Don Kelly, Kenneth Scott, Tom Robertson, Jesse Goolsby, Tom Hall and Joe Hays.

Two-Year Pins — Van Newberry, Raymon Newberry, Mark Smith, Laray Stevens and Barry Moore.

A series of songs and games provided diversion for the group. Then officers for the new year were read, as follows: Eddie Jay Cubmaster; Othel Sipe and Starr Inzer, assistant Cubmasters; Barney Cumble, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Lewis Fincannon, awards secretary; Mrs. Garland Preston, reporter; Earl Smith, Starr Inzer, Curtis Dodd and Garland Preston, planning board; B. O. Bell, Bob Todd, Prentiss Holland and Albert Hill, committeemen; B. V. Newberry, Webelos leader; Dr. M. L. Smith, assistant.

Winners of the swords made by the Cubs were announced and prizes given to the following:

Kenneth Preston, first; Andy French, second; Mike Shivers, third; Larry Grimm, fourth; Laray Stevens, fifth; and Dan Newberry, sixth.

Archaeologist Giving Lectures This Week

Dr. J. O. Kinnaman of Long Beach, California, has been lecturing since Tuesday evening at the Church of the Nazarene in on Biblical archaeology.

Sponsored by the Faith Methodist Church, Dr. Kinnaman will continue his lectures through the evening of Sunday, February 5.

Pastor John Syrios of the Faith church invites the public to hear the eminent archaeologist.

All-Night Singing at Dovie Slated Tonight

Fourth birthday of the Dovie singing will be celebrated with an all-night songfest tonight (Friday) at the Dovie community church, five miles east of Hamlin, community leaders underway. The festivities will get underway at 7:30 o'clock.

In addition to the contributions previously by Mr. and Mrs. Moore, the following specific donations are recorded for the new total: Mother's porchlight drive, \$346.70; returns from envelopes, \$542; Neinda community, \$51.50; peanut sales by Camp Fire Girls, \$75.95; square dance



LISTEN TO TESTIMONY — Sam Deeley (right), vice president of the defunct U. S. Trust and Guaranty, and Mrs. V. E. Ridling, secretary-treasurer of the company, listen to testimony of the Senate investigating committee hearings in Austin. Both testified before the Senate and House investigating committees.

\$2,520.93 Raised In March of Dimes

Record high contributions to the annual March of Dimes were recorded for the Hamlin territory as tabulations were made by Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore, community chairmen, Wednesday at noon. Total of \$2,520.93 had been deposited in the bank Wednesday at noon for the campaign with some donations in coin collectors and from the high school to be yet turned in.

The annual March of Dimes was climaxed Tuesday night with the mother's porchlight campaign conducted under the direction of Mrs. W. T. Johnson. Total of \$246.70 was collected from this phase of the campaign.

The Moores acknowledged valuable assistance of three young men not previously recognized in the drive. They were Holly Toler Jr., who inflated the balloons for the balloon sales; and Dennis Johnson and Rodney Spaulding, who gathered up donations from the telethon replies.

Lester Minton Takes Lone Star Gas Firm Position in Hamlin

Lester Minton Wednesday assumed management of the Hamlin office of Lone Star Gas Company, succeeding H. E. (Jake) Lawson. The change is part of a series of promotions and area advancements for officials of the gas concern throughout the West Texas territory.

Minton has been manager of the Rotan office of the concern for 12 years. He will move his family here this week-end.

Lawson, who has been with the Lone Star Gas Company for 16 years, has been manager at Hamlin for eight years. He is being transferred to the Ranger office of the concern.

Senior Class Selects Play for March 23

Members of the senior class of Hamlin High School have announced the selection of their annual class play, "A Double Barreled Detective Story," which is to be presented March 23.

Selection was made by a committee composed of Bobby Beale, Rodney Spaulding, June Hill and Lusara Dean. The play books were ordered Tuesday, and the seniors will begin try-outs soon.

The play is one of Mark Twain's famous mystery comedies. It is in three acts and was dramatized by Robert St. Clair.

Woman's Forum Already Planning Drive for Books

Deeding of the Mrs. D. D. Harden residence to the club women of Hamlin for use as a community club house and library, was announced this week by officials of the Woman's Forum recently formed organization of representatives from nine women's clubs of the community.

Gift of the pioneer family to the community was revealed at the Tuesday evening meeting of the Forum, through Mrs. Ned Moore.

To be known as the Harden Memorial Library, the community project will answer a long-felt need for a central meeting house for women's clubs and for a community library, Forum leaders pointed out.

Plans already have been started for securing of books for the library, which will be at first by popular contribution.

The residence, on Southwest Avenue A, just south of the Foster Hotel, has been the home of the Harden family since 1907 until recently. School records show that the name of Harden has been on class rolls of Hamlin schools every year since 1907.

The Forum met in the home of Mrs. Ned Moore, the president, who presided. Nine club presidents answered to roll call. Officers elected in the December election meeting took over their duities, and committees were given their assignments.

Next regular meeting of the Forum will be May 29, the month when five Tuesdays occur.

New City Coordinator On Job This Week

John L. Lea Wednesday began his duties as new city coordinator. He replaces Roy L. Dunlap, who resigned last September to accept the city manager's post at Snyder after a year's service.

Lea, his wife and two daughters are occupying the Delma Shelburne home on Northwest Third Street.

One of the first projects of the new coordinator will be supervising the reconstruction of the old F. & M. Bank building, which will be used as a city hall and jail.

Western Union Office Moved to Flower Shop

Effective Thursday of this week the Hamlin offices of Western Union Telegraph Company were moved to the Hamlin Flower Shop building, where Mrs. Winnie Day will be the new WU agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Howard King have operated the Western Union office for 10 years.

Who's New This Week

Four new citizens have been recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. All four girls they are:

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams of Hamlin arrived January 24 at 2:30 p. m. Weighing seven pounds two ounces, she has named Sue Lynn.

A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodriguez of Hamlin was born January 24 at 8:00 a. m. Lightweight of the group at six pounds eight ounces, she accepted the name Silvia.

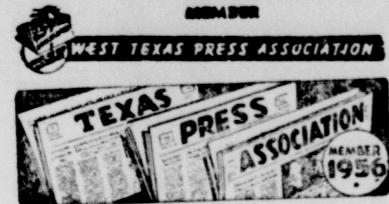
A girl for Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Maxwell arrived January 26 at 7:24 a. m. She will be called Pamela Mae. She balanced the scales at seven pounds eight ounces.

A girl arrived for Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Black of Hamlin January 26 at 2:52 p. m. Her arrival weight was eight pounds 13 ounces, and she will answer to Trudee Mae-cell.

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BOY SCOUTS OBSERVING FORTY-SIXTH BIRTHDAY

Hamlin area Boy Scouts will join millions of other youngsters of the world as the Boy Scouts of America observes its forty-sixth birthday during Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12, with its membership at an all-time high of 4,100,000 boys and adult leaders. Since 1910 more than 24,500,000 Americans have shared in its leisure-time program. There is scarcely an American family that does not know of Scouting first hand.

To mark this birthday the organization launches a four-year program with the theme "Onward for God and My Country."

The Boy Scouts of America seeks "through organized and trained manpower to give an increasingly better program to an increasing number of the nation's youth," says Dr. Arthur A. Schuck, chief Scout executive, and to "help today's youth to 'Be Prepared' as citizens of character, to be prepared in body, skill, spirit, will and as a member of a team."

The chief Scout executive feels that this

program is launched at a time when it is evident that increased emphasis on our free way of life is important. For the safety and welfare of the United States, he holds, a patriotism of the highest type is essential, a patriotism built on a firm spiritual foundation.

"As Scouting now influences the lives of 3,000,000 boys," he says, "we must help them to the realization and acceptance of God as the guiding power of the universe. We must interpret and find additional methods to help a Scout in his own religious life to fulfill his obligation to God as stated in the Scout oath and law."

The "Onward for God and My Country" program also seeks to give youth opportunities to develop physical fitness, self-reliance, a sense of personal responsibility, a spirit of helping people, a willingness to share, and an understanding of government's democratic processes.

It is a program worthy of the support of all Americans interested in youth.

Cutting Costs on Farm

A mid-western advertising executive, who was raised on a farm and has been in close touch with the world of agriculture all his life, recently said that there is one thing the American farmer has learned: "Efficient production is essential." That means he must be a man not only of the soil, but a man of the machine shop, a businessman, and a student of weather, insect pests, seed, world trade, labor and politics."

He then related this to mechanized farming. In industry, an expensive machine will be thrown out because a new one can save a few cents on each unit produced. A similar process takes place in modern farming. As he puts it, "American farmers have learned—and other farmers are learning—a new farm tractor or machine that cuts cost more than a previous model is a necessary and wise investment."

American agriculture produced record crops last year—and did it with less human and animal labor than in any other year. Mechanization—the ever increasing use of more and better farm equipment of many kinds—was the reason.

The Farm Equipment Institute recently reported: "Farmers are putting into use new machines and methods for increasing farm production at a fascinating rate. Farmers have sizeable backlog of purchasing power, their credit is good, and they are continuing to mechanize to gain efficiency and cut costs." We hear much of current and temporary agricultural set-backs. We should hear more of the great long-range gains that agriculture is making—gains that over the years will be of tremendous service to the consumers as well as the producers of our food and fiber.

Editorial of the Week

PAMPERING BREEDS WEAKNESS

A government that protects the weak will always have lots of that kind of people; a government that lets the strong develop will have that kind.

It is a law of nature that pampering breeds weakness. The pen-raised bird, loosed in the wilds, has small chance of survival, as many state game agencies have learned from extensive experience. The parallel extends to the human individual. And the result is about the same whether the excessive pampering comes from a doting family or a paternalistic government.

The shortest and surest way to life with honor in the world is to be in reality what we would appear to be.

Whatever you dislike in another person, take care to correct in yourself.—Spratt.

RECALLING Other Years

* Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Goings-on in the Hamlin community 20 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 31, 1936:

New bridge across the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, 12 miles north of Hamlin, was dedicated last Thursday. Harry Hines, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, was among dignitaries taking part in the bi-annual celebration.

Florence Boyd of Hamlin made the fall term honor roll at Baylor University, according to a release from the Waco school.

Carol Benson and Cleddie Hall of Hamlin, members of the 1935 squad of Hardin-Simmons University, have been recommended for football letters at the Abilene schools.

Mr. McLendon and Lillian Turner of the Neinda community were married at Anson January 18.

For the fifth year in a row, the Pied Pipers of Hamlin High School are the basketball champions of Jones County. They ended the season Monday night with a victory over Anson to give them six wins and no defeats in the conference for the session.

Many Boyd has accepted a position in the primary department of the Fort Stockton schools.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Among happenings in the Hamlin community ten years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 1, 1946:

District Governor Charles S. Peyton of Cleburne was a special guest Tuesday noon of the Hamlin Lions Club.

Twenty-degree weather in the area the past several days has been hard on livestock. Little moisture has fallen.

Final contract on the Hamlin-to-Sylvester Farm-to-Market road is due to be let within a few days, according to the Texas Highway Commission.

L. C. Yeats has been named commander of the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Charter has been approved for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association to build a hospital in Hamlin.

Anson High School Tigers, with five wins and no losses, leads the district Class A basketball race. Hamlin's Pied Pipers, with three victories and two defeats, is third in the standings. Throckmorton being second.

William Blanton of Albany and Ted Miles of Stamford have put their hats in the ring as candidates for congressman of the 17th Congressional District.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 26, 1951:

A record low temperature for the season was reported at 5:00 o'clock Thursday morning when the thermometer at the Santa Fe Railway depot registered four degrees below zero.

Oil activity in the Hamlin section has been gaining impetus during the past several weeks. Completion this week of the new well on the Bowdry place by General Crude Oil Company highlights recent producers.

A meeting of farmers of the Hamlin area with County Agent Bill Lehmburg will outline the proposed new seven-point cotton program designed to give the farmer relief from over-production of cotton.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Considered news a year ago in the Hamlin community were the following briefs, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 4, 1955:

Members of the senior class of Hamlin High School this week announced approval of a trip to New Orleans, Louisiana, as the annual trip of the graduates.

Reports on the feasibility of a proposed water conservation plan for the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, northwest of Hamlin, is expected within a few days from the engineering firm of Freese & Nichols of Fort Worth. The project is being investigated as plan of the water resources committee of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Contractors on the city street paving program have about finished all the work that has been signed up, according to Roy Dunlap, city engineer.

Installation of 57 new street lights has been ordered by the City Council as part of a project to brighten up some dark spots over the city.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: J. L. Weaver, medical, January 23; John Kent Jones, medical, January 23; Mrs. E. S. Free of Sylvester, medical, January 24; Charlotte Burleson, medical, January 24; Morris Neves of Abilene, medical, January 25; Mrs. J. L. Williams of Aspermont, medical, January 25; Mrs. Johnny Agnew, medical, January 25; Harvey Lawlis of McCaulley, medical, January 25; Mrs. P. A. Maxwell, ob., January 25; Mrs. Roy Carmichael, medical, January 26; Mrs. W. C. Moore Sr., ob., January 26; Kenneth Wiggington, medical, January 26; Mrs. H. Myers of Peacock, medical, January 27; Mickey Perry of Aspermont, medical, January 27; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, medical, January 27; Mrs. D. Harwell, medical, January 27; James Brewer of Post, medical, January 27; C. T. Carter, medical, January 26; Merrell Davis of McCaulley, medical, January 27; Mary Humphries of McCaulley, medical, January 28; Mrs. D. A. Self of Sylvester, medical, January 29; Pamela Hood of Sylvester, medical, January 29; G. M. Bond, medical, January 30; Edward Dodd, medical, January 30; Mrs. Ira Green, medical, January 29; Mrs. J. T. Mehaffey of McCaulley, medical, January 29; Mrs. G. C. Black, ob., January 29; Mrs. Pearl Kennedy, medical, January 31; C. M. Pointer, medical, January 31; O. L. Farnsworth, medical, January 30; Barbara Connally, medical, January 30; C. J. Sewell, medical, January 30; Jim Anderson, medical, January 30; Rev. S. J. King, medical, January 30; Mrs. S. J. King, medical, January 30; Jimmy Bellah of Cotton Center, medical, January 31; Mrs. J. B. Hester, medical, January 31.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. J. H. Howe, January 24; Charles Yarborough of McCaulley, January 19; Mrs. L. B. Baker of Post, January 25; Mrs. Doc Neal, January 26; Deborah Decker of McCaulley, January 26; Mrs. G. M. Bond, January 26; Buddy Browne, January 23; Mike Herd, January 28; Debra Woolf, January 26; Mrs. Ralph Windsor of Aspermont, January 28; J. C. Peter of Roby, January 25; Mrs. Lupe Rodriguez, January 28; Gerald Don Owens of Longworth, January 29; John Kent Jones, January 23; Mrs. E. S. Free of Sylvester, January 31; Charlotte Burleson, January 27; Morris Neves of Abilene, January 27; Mrs. Johnny Agnew, January 27; Harvey Lawlis of McCaulley, January 28; Mrs. P. A. Maxwell, January 29; Kenneth Wiggington, January 29; Mrs. H. Myers of Peacock, January 29; Mickey Perry of Aspermont, January 29; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, January 28; James Brewer of Post, January 28; C. T. Carter, January 28; Merrell Davis of McCaulley, January 31; Mrs. Pearl Kennedy, January 31.

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Market Study for Cattle Group Being Completed by Extension Departments

Cutters mostly netted \$7 to \$11; bulls mostly \$10 to \$14, a few outside that range.

Good and choice slaughter calves cleared at \$15.50 to \$18.50, and common to medium offerings drew \$13 to \$16; calf and common sorts \$10 to \$13. Two loads of choice stocker steer calves of over 400 pounds sold at \$18.50 and steer yearlings sold mostly from \$17.50 downward. Replacement cows are in very active demand at strong prices, dealers reported.

Good and choice butcher hogs sold at \$14 to \$14.25 at Fort Worth Monday, 50 cents under the best prices late last week.

There was a moderate increase in hog receipts at Corn Belt points despite the bad weather that has slowed down the cattle runs at those centers. This put a rather bearish tinge to the trade, as there was some speculation that receipts might get back to very large numbers before the week was out.

Less desirable weights and grades of butcher hogs sold from \$11 to \$13.75. Sows cashed at mostly \$10 to \$12, and a few light-weighted hogs sold to \$12.50.

Good and choice slaughter lambs cashed at \$17 to \$18.50 at Fort Worth Monday, and they along with all other grades and classes, were regarded as fully steady. Some 5,200 head arrived indicating again that movement

James A. Brown Takes Part in France Tactics

Specialist Second Class James A. Brown, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Clifton Brown of Hamlin, recently participated in an overnight field training exercise in France, according to a release to The Herald from Vassincourt, France.

The exercise, held by the advance section of the Army's European communications zone, included a mock attack by "aggressor" forces.

was expanding somewhat season-

Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$12 to \$16.50. Top lambs at \$18.50 carried No. 1 and fall shorn pelts at \$17 to \$17.50. A few woolly lambs sold at \$17.50 downward.

Slaughter ewes sold from \$7 to \$7.50. Old bucks sold around \$6. Aged wethers cashed at \$8 to \$13. Yearling wethers were quoted from \$12 to \$16.50.

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Announcements for Political Office

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 28, 1956:

JONES COUNTY:

For Representative, 85th District: MOYNE L. KELLY

For County Assessor-Collector: IMA B. DOUGHERTY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: JOHNNIE AGNEW.

Faith Methodist Men Reorganized Friday At Kick-Off Dinner

Kick-off dinner for a reorganized unit of Methodist Men of the Faith Methodist Church was held Friday evening at Starr's Drive-Inn. The dinner was given for the purpose of reorganizing the men's group.

Principal speaker of the evening was W. T. Johnson, who gave some information concerning organization and things that can be done to make the Methodist Men's group a successful club.

He is president of the men's group at the First Methodist Church.

The Faith Methodist Men were already chartered, so was no election of officers. They are: Jack Bond, president; Donald Bockman, vice president; B. F. Ford, secretary; E. C. Gray, treasurer; J. W. Syrios, reporter; and G. M. Bond, attendance chairman. Also present were O. C. Stice, E. A. Lawlis, O. H. Griffith and his father, J. B. Bowman.

All officers were installed with the pastor officiating. Meetings were set on the last Friday evening of each month.

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Turner-Hunter Agency Gets 25-Year Plaque

In recognition of 25 years' connection as agent for the Hanover Fire Insurance Company by the local Turner-Hunter Insurance Agency and its predecessors, John C. Turner Sr. and Mrs. Laverne Hunter were presented plaque by representatives of the major concern Wednesday afternoon.

Making the presentation was James B. Strange of Abilene, representing the regional agent, Floyd West & Company of Dallas.

Surviving the pioneer Childress resident are her husband and five sons.



OUTSTANDING YOUNG TEXANS—These five young men were named by the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce as outstanding young Texans for their exceptional contributions to their communities in 1955. Left to right, they are: Dan Eddy of Dallas, 34, public relations and fund raising; Bill Allcorn of Brownwood, 32, attorney and district attorney for 35th Judicial District; Jim Lindsey of Texarkana, 29, attorney and member and speaker of the House of Representatives of Texas; Dr. William Stuart McBurnie Jr. of San Antonio, 35, minister; and William Bellamy of San Antonio, 35, a newspaper executive.

Mother of Principal B. V. Newberry Dies Tuesday at Childress

Death came Tuesday night to Mrs. E. N. Newberry, 70-year-old mother of Hamlin High School Principal B. V. Newberry, at a hospital in Childress. She had been ill for several months following the amputation last year of a lower limb.

Principal Newberry was at her bedside when the end came.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday (Thursday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. A number of Hamlin friends attended the final rites.

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Mistress—"Either way?"

Maid—"Yes, ma'am—so they'll come again or so they won't."

Hall's survivors include the children: his father, I. M. Hall

THREE KILLED

(concluded from page one)
Carl Pool, pastor, officiated. Interment was in the Hamlin Cemetery.

Services for David Hall were conducted Saturday afternoon at Taylor, Arkansas, former home of Hall. The body was sent from Abilene to Arkansas by Kinney Funeral Home of Stamford.

Mrs. Hall was born on September 10, 1922 at Anson. She married David Hall in 1940 at Taylor, Arkansas, where they lived a short while. She had lived most of her life in Jones County.

Survivors include four children, Jack C. Hall, Hubert Wayne Hall and Rosa Annette Hall, all of Hamlin; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stapler of Sweetwater; three brothers, Jim Stapler of Royalty and L. D. and Harry Stapler of Sweetwater; and two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Riley of Dallas and Mrs. Flo Ella Boiles of Abilene.

Hall's survivors include the children: his father, I. M. Hall of Arkansas; two brothers, Givins and Howard, both of Taylor; three sisters, Mrs. Hattie Thompson of Taylor, Mrs. Thelma Bean of Louisiana and Dorothy Hall of Taylor.

Funeral services for Lacy were held Saturday at Perryton, where the body was sent by Kinney Funeral Home.

Lacy was born on February 23, 1929, in Oklahoma. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lacy Sr. of Perryton; and four brothers and four sisters.

Santa Fe Carloadings Continue Above 1955

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending January 28, 1956, were 23,399 compared with 22,065 for the same week in 1955. Cars received from connections totaled 11,831 compared with 12,327 in 1955.

Total cars moved were 35,230 compared with 34,392 for the same week in 1955. Santa Fe handled total of 36,601 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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Farmers Warned Of Grain Sorghum Seed Sold as Hybrid

Farmers of the Hamlin section are being warned this week that reports have come from farmers and seed dealers not only in Texas, but also Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma that ordinary white and in some cases red grain sorghum seed are being sold by transit salesmen as hybrids.

Farmers and seed dealers are reminded by Jack G. King, Texas A. & M. College System agronomist with headquarters in Lubbock, that only a very limited supply of hybrid grain sorghum seed is available for planting this year. Most of the seed produced in 1955 is being used in demonstration plantings of from one to five acres. These demonstrations are widely scattered over the entire state and demonstrators are being supplied with planting seed.

Adequate supplies of hybrid sorghum planting seed should be available to all farmers for 1957 plantings, but the supply to be sold for 1956 plantings is very small.

Finally, King says, buy hybrid sorghum planting seed only from a reliable local dealer or seed grower.

30 Additions Reported In First Baptist Revival

One of the best revival meetings held in several years at the First Baptist Church, according to the pastor, Rev. Houston Walker, closed Sunday night.

Thirty additions to the church were the visible results of the series of services conducted by Rev. Stanley Brown of Amarillo. Numerous rededications also resulted, Walker said. Twenty-eight of the additions were by baptism, most of whom were adults.

Rubber bands at The Herald.

Hamlin Lions to Go to Stamford Charter Fete

President W. S. Seals of Hamlin Lions Club will head a delegation of local Lions as they go tonight (Friday) to the charter night program of the new Stamford Lions Club at the Stamford High School cafeteria.

Edward G. Barry of Little Rock, Arkansas, second vice president of Lions International, will be the speaker. Also present for the occasion will be Wilfred R. McDonald of Fort Worth, governor of District 2-E of Lions International; and Charles Hogsett of Roby, deputy district governor.

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PERCH, 1-lb. pkg.	16c
Thomas FISH STICKS, 8-oz.	37c
Donald Duck Frozen ORANGE JUICE	35c

HAMS	
Half or Whole	10c
lb.	35c
lb.	53c

PARKAY, lb.	
Kraft CARAMELS, lb.	35c
TIDE, 16-lb., 1-oz.	\$3.45
CAMAY, Bath size	2 for 25c
JELLO, pkg.	7c
SCOT TISSUE, roll	10c
KLEENEX, 400-ct. box	25c

Dromedary CAKE MIXES, pkg.	
SPAGHETTI SKINNERS	7-Oz. Pkg. 12½c

DOUBLE STAMPS	
Bama APPLE JELLY	20-Oz. Glass 25c
Bama RED PLUM JAM	20-Oz. Glass 29c
Gold Coast Whole SPICED PEACHES	No. 2½ Can 25c
Val Tex TWO TOMATO JUICE	46-Oz. Cans 45c
Campfire THREE CUT GREEN BEANS	303 Cans 29c
Mission TWO ENGLISH PEAS	303 Cans 29c
Sun Valley ONE OLEO	1-Lb. Pkg. 19c
Yacht Club, with snaps BLACKEYE PEAS	303 Cans 15c
Hi-C 46-Oz. Can ORANGE DRINK	28c



The Herald's Page for Women



Jones County Demonstration Clubs Endorse Mrs. Harvey for State Office

Several Hamlin area club women were present when members of the Jones County Home Demonstration Council met Monday in the home demonstration agent's office at Anson. It was a called session, the regular meeting having been postponed because of bad weather.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Noel Weaver, the chairman. As the roll was called each member stood and told which club she represented and which office she holds. Minutes of the November and December meetings were read and approved. The secretary read the standing rules for council and they were adopted as amended.

Clubs reported their first meetings of the year were spent in installing new officers, naming committees and filling out yearbooks. They also reported making contributions to the March of Dimes or making plans for raising money for the drive. Each club is to bring to the



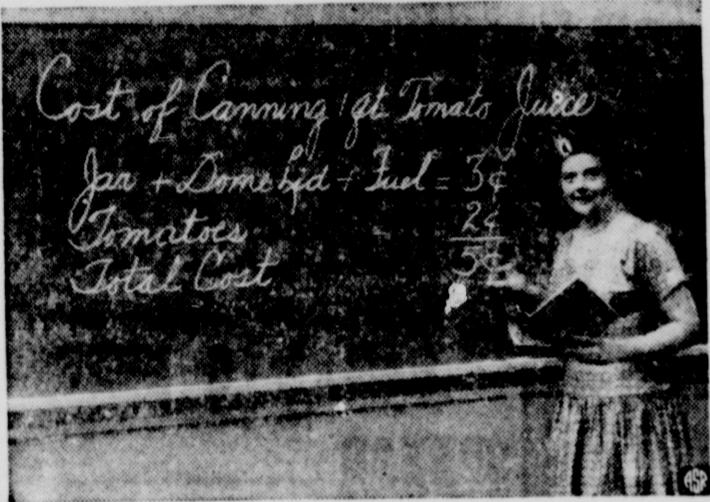
PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS of a contest conducted a few weeks ago by Winston B. Lucas of Irving were announced this week. First place winner was Martha Ballard, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ballard of Hamlin. Second place winner was Sharee Reese Stinnett, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stinnett.

Pledges and Husbands Feted at Dinner by Beta Theta Saturday

Pledges and husbands of members were special guests when the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority staged a covered dish dinner Saturday night at the Primary School cafeteria.

Valentine decorations were used throughout the dining room, with a red candle being placed on a heart for each table centerpiece. The buffet table was centered

4-H Club Leader Inspires Teen-Agers



Mrs. Wanda Hughes, 4-H Club Leader, Royerton, Indiana, explaining how to estimate the cost of canning tomato juice.

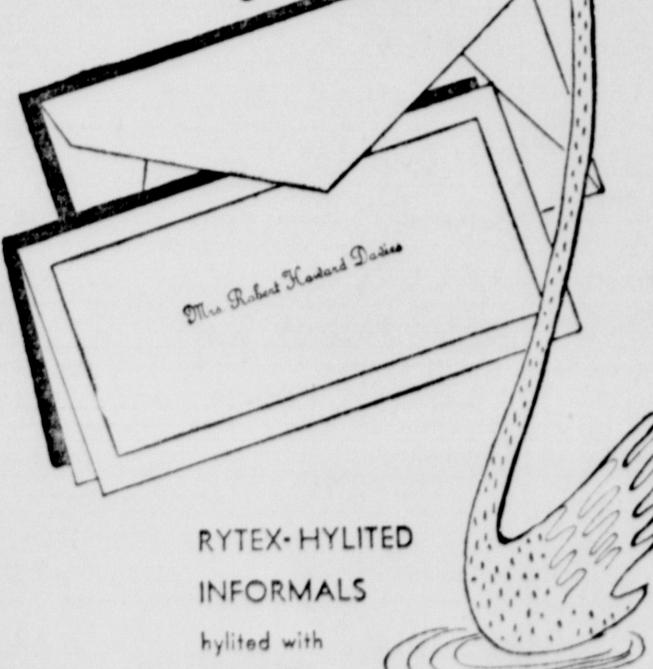
When asked to what she attributes her success as a 4-H Club Leader, Mrs. Wanda Hughes, home economics teacher at Royerton, Indiana, High School, gave the stock answer, "hard work." Mrs. Hughes said teen-agers must be sold on the worthwhileness of a project before they accept it with enthusiasm. For example, a lesson in canning is interesting and important to those who know the story of how the whole great 4-H Club organization grew from little tomato clubs. And, appreciate the real value of tomato juice when they learn that it is rich in minerals and vitamins needed for health and beauty.

Mrs. Hughes makes bacteriology, arithmetic and economics a part of each lesson. Bacteriology, when she explains why improperly canned foods spoil. Arithmetic, by showing how to figure costs. Economics, when she points out the amount of money to be saved by canning. Learning how to save appeals to teen-agers because many who plan to marry before or shortly after graduating know they must live on small income.

And, how does Mrs. Hughes figure the cost of canning? Simply dividing the cost of the produce by the yield and adding 3¢ for each quart canned. From Purdue University she learned that anybody who has the use of a plot of good earth, in a sunny garden or back yard, can raise tomatoes for about 25¢ a bushel, and that an average of from 12 to 16 quarts of juice can be canned from a bushel of sound tomatoes. (A bushel will yield from 18 to 20 quarts of canned tomatoes.) A quart Mason fruit jar, based on a life of 8 years, a Dome Lid and fuel cost approximately 3¢. Add 2¢ for the raw tomatoes and it adds up to 5¢ for a quart of juice.

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Mrs. Cliff Reynolds Gives Program at Sorority Unit Session

Mrs. Cliff Reynolds Jr. presented an interesting program on "Floor Coverings, Backgrounds and Textiles" when members of the Xi Gamma Pi exemplar chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. E. J. Hawkins last Thursday.

Mrs. Reynolds illustrated her talk with pictures from current home furnishing magazines.

A pink and blue gift shower was presented to Mrs. Jerry Waggoner at the close of the meeting. She was also presented the traditional silver cup bearing the crest of Beta Sigma Phi by the members.

Mrs. James Grisby of Denton was a guest. Besides those already mentioned, other members present were Mmes. W. T. Johnson, George Poe, Austin Poe, C. Weldon Griggs, M. L. Smith, Toby Williams and John C. Bryant.

with a heart and flower arrangement with red candles in candelabra on each side carrying out the Valentine theme.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Austin Poe, C. Weldon Griggs, H. L. Mehaffey, Jess Parrish, Gerald Young, Brad Rowland Jr., L. C. Bonds, Earl Smith, Wilson Brannon, Garland Preston, Billy Joe Wilson and Mrs. Truman Nix. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wofford, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were introduced as guests from Cushing, Oklahoma.

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Potatoes, Pork, Beef And Pork on Plentiful Food List for February

Hamlin community housewives are reminded that potatoes, pork, beef and grapefruit top the plentiful food list for February.

Mae Belle Smith, extension specialist in consumer education says potatoes are being consumed in decreasing amounts because they are thought to be fattening. This is not true, she says, for a medium sized potato contains about 100 calories. The thing to watch is the butter and gravy that are commonly eaten with the potato. Potatoes are a good source of vitamin C; contain B vitamins, iron and other minerals besides being a good energy food. They are a good food and good for you, says the specialist.

Red meat supplies for 1956 are expected to equal those for 1955 and a wide variety of kinds and cuts of pork and beef are available. Consumers are asking for leaner pork, and producers are responding by trying to produce more meat type hogs. Pork is a top source of vitamin B as well as iron and phosphorus.

Beef is still plentiful, and Miss Smith suggests that the economy cuts can help keep the food budget low.

Grapefruit, both fresh and processed, are available in large quantities at prices slightly below those of a year ago and are a good buy. Other fresh vegetables include cabbage and celery.

Rice, broilers, fryers, milk and other dairy products, vegetable fats and oils, peanut butter, lard and canned tuna round out the plentiful list for February.

RAISE EGG PRODUCTION.

Incomplete vaccination programs have reportedly resulted in severe production drops in some laying flocks in the state. L-14, "A Suggested Vaccination Program for Chicks" is available at your local county agent's office.

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Women's Groups Invited to Try for Traffic Safety Awards

Are women back seat drivers? Here is an invitation for them to sit up front and toot their own horn.

The National Safety Council announced this week that nominations are sought for the 1956 Carol Lane awards for traffic safety administered by the council through grant of the Shell Oil Company.

The awards, which recognize the achievements of women in the field of traffic accident prevention, are open to American women and to women's and parents' groups. Now in the fifth year they have revealed the important traffic safety support work being carried out by women, according to the council.

The awards are named for Carol Lane, women's travel director of Shell. The first three winners in both the individual and club categories will receive a bronze sculpture and \$1,000, \$500 and \$250 savings bonds, as well as trips to Chicago for the National Safety Congress in October.

Entry information can be obtained from the National Safety Council, 425 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

Indian Names Given Camp Fire Girls at Meeting Last Week

Indian names were assigned to members of the Skatani group of Camp Fire Girls when they met last week. Charlene Berry, president, called the session to order. Ruth McClung, song leader, led the "Camp Fire Law."

The following names were assigned to members: Thelma McClung, Cantanwanta; Velta Hastings, Ohanpi; Charlene Berry, Ikkigaga; George Ann Black, Ehwewee; Georgana Fitzgerald, Dikadenska; Linda Cavitt, Waenakka; Denetta McCracken, Pashuta; Ann Rabjohn, Tandapadenska; Gerry Brewer, Mahkohwee.

The group voted not to purchase gowns at this time. The girls sold peanuts at the basketball games Thursday night for the benefit of the polio fund.

Tuesday night the group met again at the Camp Fire hut and finished making their memory books.

ACCOMPANIMENT.

"I wonder why Mrs. Robinson brings her knitting to every meeting?"

"It gives her something to think about while she talks."

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Isn't this about the time of the year when you start bragging about what you'd be doing in the garden if the weather was nice?"

Demonstration on First Aid Given for Friendship Club Group

A demonstration on first aid was given by students from Hamlin High School as the program feature when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon at the oil mill guest house.

Council report was given by Mrs. Fred Young. The club voted to donate \$36 to the polio fund. Mrs. Sol Branscum was elected to be a delegate to be voted on at the county council at Anson February 15 to the district meet at Childress on April 5.

Coffee and cookies were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Gean Witt and Mrs. M. S. Johnson, to the following attendants: Mmes. J. E. Johnson, Homer Neal, H. E. Brown, Harry Gardner, John Hix, Fred Young, J. R. Sissom, M. S. Johnson, Ray Johnson, Jap Kemp, Esther Hastings, Gean Witt and Sol Branscum, members; and the following visitors: Mrs. Bobby Crowley and Mrs. Wayne Carter, Pat Boles, Jean Powell, Benita Smith, Bette Teague, Joy Fay Hames, Donna Jean Kidd, Joyce Grimm, Delores Carter, Gwendolyn Brown, Kay Meason and Nancy Patterson.

Next meeting of the Friendship Club will be February 10 at the club house.

There are more than 1,500 daily and 10,000 weekly newspapers produced in the United States.

ALL WAY THROUGH.

"The Ingrams are distinctly literary," said Mrs. Jones to a neighbor. "The daughter writes poetry that nobody will print, the son writes plays that nobody will act, and the mother writes novels that nobody will read."

"And what does the father do?" "Oh, he writes checks that no one will cash."

INQUISITIVENESS.

Hectic Hector was forever pestering his father with embarrassing questions until finally the harassed parent told him that eulogies once killed a cat.

Hector's eyes opened wide in alarm and he was quiet for a second or two.

However, his parent's elation was short-lived as Hector quickly popped out with, "What'd the cat want to know?"

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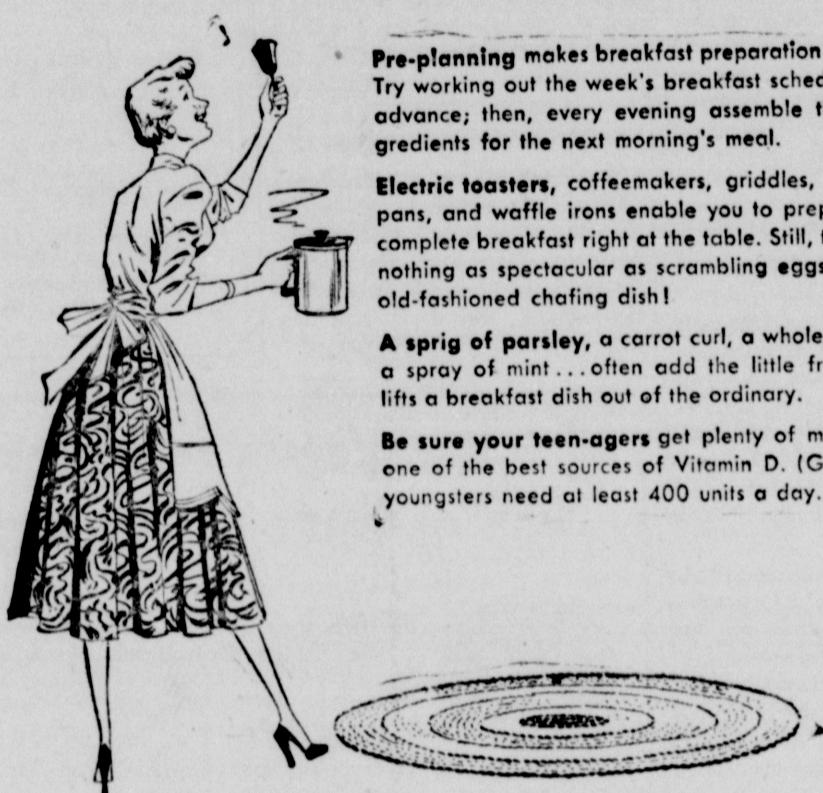
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A sprig of parsley, a carrot curl, a whole berry, a spray of mint... often add the little frill that lifts a breakfast dish out of the ordinary.

Be sure your teen-agers get plenty of milk. It's one of the best sources of Vitamin D. (Growing youngsters need at least 400 units a day.)



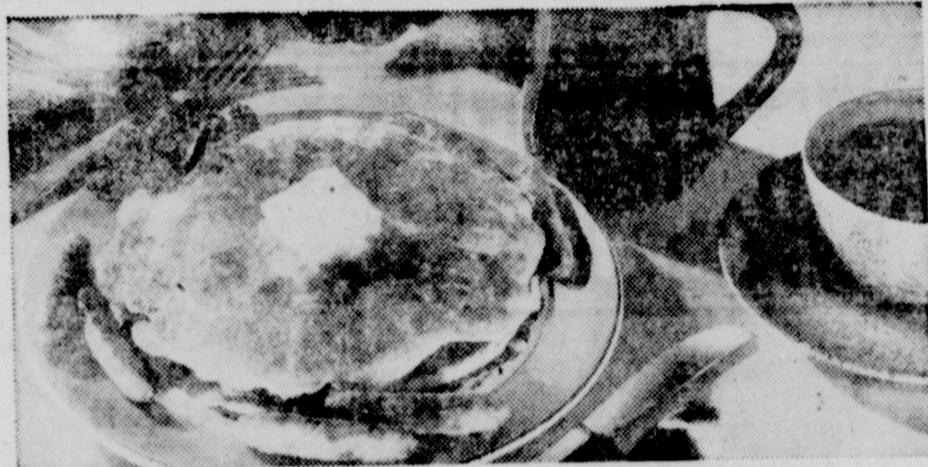
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Grapefruit	Sections, Glenn-Aire Can 19¢	Potatoes	Russets Lbs. 8¢

Sliced Ham	Bone-in or Boneless, Center Lb. 89¢	White Eggs	Breakfast Gems, Grade A Doz. 61¢
Pineapple	La Lani, Sliced No. 2 Can 32¢	Biscuits	Puffin, Plain or Buttermilk 2 8-Oz. Cans 21¢



HOTCAKES AND SAUSAGES. A dozen variations for this popular breakfast: pancakes, buckwheats, dollar-size, crepes suzette, buttermilk cakes, and so on. Spicy link sausages complete the treat.

Pancake Flour	Suzanne Box 2 1/2-Lb. 29¢	Coffee	Folger's Instant 6-Oz. Jar 135¢
Margarine	Coldbrook Cin. 1-Lb. 17¢	Syrup	Sleepy Hollow 12-Oz. Jar 25¢



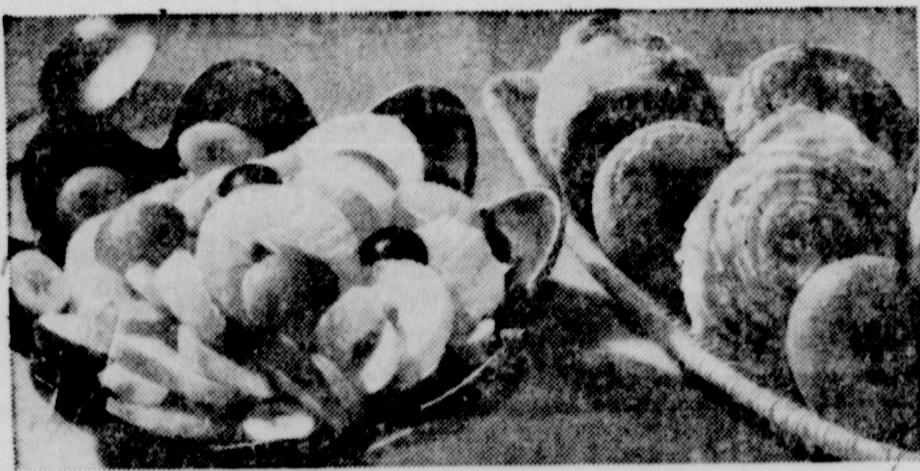
NEW ENGLAND SPECIAL. This "down East" breakfast can be a real surprise for your family. Includes rich, oven-baked beans; hot-buttered brown bread; flavorful codfish cakes.

Baked Beans	Boston Heinz 300 Can 20¢	Codfish Flakes	B & M 7-Oz. Can 29¢
Apple Butter	Musselman Jar 28-Oz. 25¢	Coffee	Edwards Instant 6-Oz. Jar 129¢



WAFFLES AND BACON. Another traditional favorite from coast to coast. A sprig of parsley adds a colorful touch. Serve with whole fruit on the side, milk and coffee.

Bacon	Sliced, Cello Pak, Capitol 1-Lb. Pkg. 35¢	Frozen Waffles	Bel-Air 5-Oz. Pkg. 19¢
Prunes	Dried, Del Monte Stewed Can 303 27¢	Orange Juice	Frozen 2 6-Oz. Cans 35¢



FRESH FRUIT AND SWEET ROLLS. Here's a pleasant change of pace, a delicious way to say "Good morning!" to your own little "breakfast club." Serve sweet rolls hot and buttered, or cold.

Purple Plums	No. 2 1/2-Highway Can 27¢	Rolls	Curly Cinnamon 9-Oz. Pkg. 20¢
Prunes	Rosette 3-Lb. Medium Pkg. 75¢	Coffee Cake	Curly 11-Oz. Pkg. 29¢

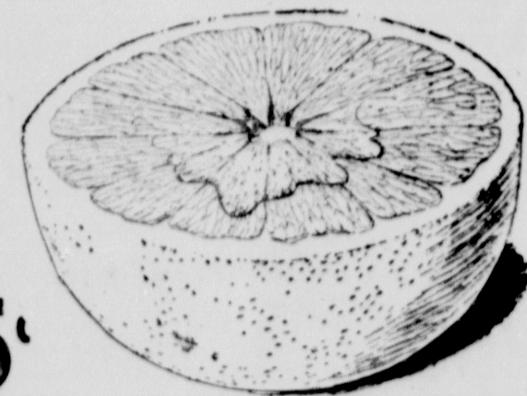


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Round Steak	U.S. choice-grade Top Heavy beef 69¢ Bottom Boneless Lb. 65¢
Ground Beef	Economy Lb. 29¢
Short Ribs	or Brisket, U.S. Gov't. Graded Calf Lb. 21¢
Pork Sausages	Wingate 2-Lb. Pkg. 55¢
Pork Chops	Center Cut Lb. 65¢
Pork Roast	Boston Butt Lb. 39¢



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Homo Milk	Lucerne Qt. Ctn. 24¢
Half & Half	Lucerne Pt. Ctn. 25¢
Coffee Cream	Lucerne 1/2-Pt. Ctn. 19¢
Biscuits	Skylark Buttermilk Brown 'N Serve 20¢

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Grapefruit Juice	6-Oz. Con. 10¢	Honey	Sioux Bee Strained 16-Oz. Jar 38¢
Orange Juice	Treasure No. 2 21¢	Bread	Skylark Butter & Egg 16-Oz. Loaf 18¢
Pineapple Juice	Del Monte No. 2 15¢	Bread	Skylark Raisin 16-Oz. Loaf 25¢
Prune Juice	Sunwest 37-Oz. Con. 37¢	Shortening	Royal Son 3-Lb. Con. 75¢
Tomato Juice	Sunny Down 46-Oz. Pkg. 26¢	Donuts	Deepry Sugared 12-Cat. Pkg. 23¢
Coffee	Nob Hill Extra Rich 1-Lb. 82¢	Flour	Gold Medal 10-Lb. Bag 89¢
Coffee	Edwards Top Quality, Reg., Drip, Fine Grind 1-Lb. 87¢	Flour	Pillsbury's Best 10-Lb. Bag 89¢
Coffee	Folger's Reg., Drip, Fine Grind 1-Lb. 90¢	Flour	Aunt Jemima Buckwheat 1-Lb. Box 22¢
Preserves	Empress Red Raspberry 12-Oz. Glass 33¢	Flour	Fleet Mix 20-Oz. Box 22¢
Jelly	Welch's Grape 10-Oz. Glass 25¢	Tamales	Gebhardt 200 Con 25¢

Florida, Heavy with Juice	8-Lb. Bag 49¢
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Lemons	Sunkist Juicy Lb. 17¢
Carrots	Crispy 2 Lbs. 25¢
Potatoes	Florida, New 3 Lbs. 25¢

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Congressman Burleson Declares That Cold War with Russia Will Be Long One

As stated in most of my speeches back home during this past fall, it was obvious soon after the Geneva conference that the cold war would continue unabated, writes Congressman Oscar Burleson, in his regular weekly column, Washington: As It Looks from Here. His letter continues:

Perhaps we should be thankful for the lesser of two evils—that the "cold" war has not turned into a hot one. We might as well make up our minds, however, that as long as there is a Russia and Communism the present situation is going to be with us for a long time to come. The big problem is how to constantly face it with courage, determination, responsibility and common sense.

We should now know we cannot buy friendship with dollars, but it does not mean that we can isolate ourselves from the rest of the world and be safe. If we are responsible, we must look beyond all tomorrow.

The Senate finance committee has voted to exempt farmers from the federal gasoline tax for gasoline used in farm operations. This is a little "soo" which will amount to approximately \$60,000,000 a year in savings to the farmers. It is a drop in the bucket considering conditions facing the farmers, and should have been included in legislation a long time ago.

Although we have our troubles, at least our area is free from one of the very great difficulties facing many of the large cities in this country. This has to do with "smog."

The city of Los Angeles, California, is reported to be one of the worst. Carbon monoxide from automobiles mixed with



gases from industrial plants is said to be seriously impairing health and all that goes with it. Figures show that every day over the United States 35 tons of injurious matter fall from exhaust pipes of automobiles alone. A million and a half tons from automobiles and incinerators fall on New York City each year.

There is talk that the federal government will be called upon to assist in doing something about this situation.

Probably Useless Information Department: Nation's 1,300,000 parking meters soaked up \$90,000,000 in nickels in 1955. The horse did better. There are 24 states with legal betting, which had a \$2,000,000,000 turnover.

The backyard barbecue and fireplace vogue has sent fire wood sales beyond 50,000,000 cords a year. (Maybe there is hope for another Abe Lincoln.) I'm afraid there is still not much market for a considerable amount of mesquite wood I have on my place in Jones County.

As the Congress gets underway it would seem to me to be a good idea if each congressman would take note of the following words of Thomas Jefferson:

"I served with General Washington in the Legislature of Virginia, before the revolution, and, during it with Dr. Franklin in Congress. I never heard either of them speak 10 minutes at a time nor to any but the main point, which was to decide the question. They laid their shoulders to the great points, knowing that the little ones would follow of themselves. If the present Congress errs in too much talking, how can it be otherwise in a body to which the people sent 150 lawyers, whose trade it is to question everything, yield nothing and talk by the hour? That 150 lawyers should do business together ought not to be expected."



END OF JOURNEY—Tom Hickman, 70-year-old former Texas Ranger captain from Gainesville, grins happily at the end of his 125-mile horseback ride to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

Calli Creek Philosopher Is Not Worried About Town Men Trying to Be Farmers

Editor's note: The Calli Creek Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on California Creek discusses the farm problem this week but leaves it as unsolved as ever.

Dear Editor: Everybody is talking about the farm problem these days, and I always listen very carefully—not to find out what the experts say the solution is, but what they think the problem is. One idea that caught my attention the other day was a statement by an expert that the farm problem is being made worse by the fact that the farm population is dwindling, but I couldn't follow him. The way I see it, farmers are producing too much as it is, and anything that reduces the number of farmers might reduce the surplus, although this doesn't necessarily work that way, as we've already got fewer farmers and more surplus than any time before in history.

Another expert said the cause of some of the farm problem is the fact farms are being bought up by "doctors, lawyers, bankers and merchants" and used to cut

down on their income taxes from profits made in town.

I do not see how this constitutes a farm problem. The best way I know to cut down on the farm surplus is to turn some land over to a town farmer. Most of 'em go strong for a little while, fixing up the place, throwing paint around, stretching new wire, etc., but in little while their interest seems to play out, along about the time they begin figuring up what it's costing them and how little they're producing.

In fact, one of the best ways I know to reduce the farm surplus in this country would be to turn over all farming operations to lawyers, bankers, doctors and merchants for couple of years. I guarantee the surplus would disappear completely.

There's something about farming that looks easy from behind a steering wheel while you're driving along the road, but the picture changes completely when you get behind the steering wheel of a tractor.

Of course the same thing would work in the other direction. Any time this country gets a worrisome surplus of money on hand, just put me and a bunch of other farmers in charge of banking and we'll take care of it.

Yours faithfully—J. A.

The way to have leisure time is to do your work in the leisure time that you had before you had to work.

Donald Wellman Schedules Series of Talks on Prophecy

W. Donald Wellman, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will begin a series of three messages on the second coming of Christ and prophecy. This series will begin Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the sanctuary at the Church of the Nazarene.

As a reason for such a series, he stated, "The times in which we live are producing prophets of every hand. Many strange things are being predicted. Books by the dozens are being printed and being sold by the tens of thousands. Radio programs featuring prophecy are being released by the score. Unusual times always produce unusual prophets. Some of the best people swallow anything and everything and pay a good price for it."

"It is no wonder that people by the millions are grasping for an explanation. All kinds of theories are being preached on every hand. Too often good people become victims of quick, unscriptural, unreasonable theories concerning this vital concern of all Christians regardless of the denomination. Thus such questions as these are clamoring in the minds of the people: Is Christ coming? Are we living in the last days? Is the end of the world near? Who is the anti-Christ?

"In the light of present conditions and in the midst of so many prophetic declarations, and because millions of honest people are seeking light, we are submitting to this community three sermons on this subject with the purpose of searching the scriptures for a sound, safe revelation concerning future events. These sermons will germinate from the following thoughts: "Prophecy Speculation and the Second Coming;" "Prophecy and Signs of the Times;" and "Prophecy and Revivals of Religion."

Jon Adams Takes Post Teaching Position

Jon Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Adams of Hamlin, lost no time in getting into his chosen profession last month. He was a mid-term graduate of Texas Technological College at Lubbock on January 21, and started teaching January 23 at Post High School.

Young Adams, a 1952 graduate of Hamlin High School, attended Abilene Christian College for the 1952-53 term, then transferred to Texas Tech, where he majored in government and minored in education. He is teaching American history, general science and physical education at Post.

Anyone who is lavish with compliments will get along in this life. People absorb flattery like a kitten laps up cream.

See The Herald for pencils.



FREDDYE LOU ROGERS, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, (above) former Hamlin resident, has recently been named Miss YWA of the Pecos Valley Association of Baptist Churches. She will go to Albuquerque, February 17 to compete with 13 other girls for the title of Miss YWA of New Mexico. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Rogers. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. W. E. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham of Hamlin.

Application Filed for Emergency Feed Plan

Jones County drouth emergency feed committee has made formal request to the state committee to get Jones County reinstated in the program, according to Bill Lehmburg, county agent, a member of the county committee.

If the county is approved, formal notice will be given to the three county newspapers. Then anyone needing feed can secure an application blank at the ASC office, FHA office or the county agent's office in Anson.

RETURN UNUSED ACRES.

Texas cotton producers can plant more cotton in 1956 than was harvested in 1955 if they make full use of the state's allocated acreage. Producers who have received a cotton allotment and do not intend to plant the entire acreage are urged by the Texas ASC to return the acres not to be planted to the local county ASC office for reallocation to other producers in the county.

AGRICULTURE EXPORTS UP.

Exports of agricultural commodities from the U. S. during the July-November, 1955, period were four per cent larger than for the same period in 1954. Cotton exports, however, were less than those for the 1954 period.

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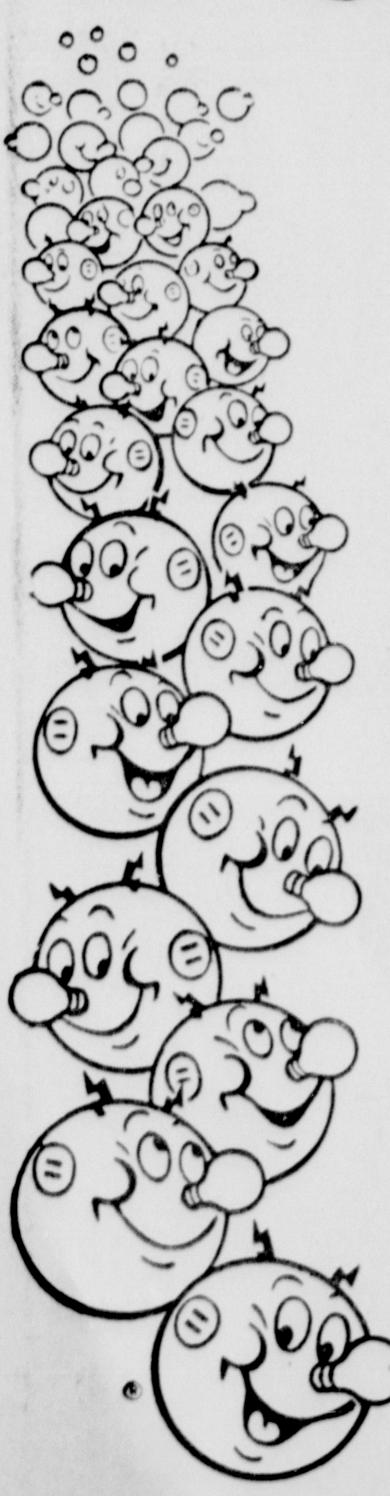
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The Herald's Page of Sports



Pied Piper Cagers Drop to Cellar in Week's League Play

Yellowhammers Win Two in Row To Rise in Ratings

The Yellowhammer cagers from Rotan High School made it two conference wins in a row Tuesday night when they trounced the Hamlin Pied Pipers on their own court by a 53 to 37 count. Their victory last Friday night over the Anson Tigers helped them to snap out of a tie in the cellar post with Hamlin which the two teams occupied last week.

Jim Finch bucketed 22 points for the Yellowhammers to lead the scoring parade, and Don Adair was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 tallies.

Box score on the A game follows:

Hamlin	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lane Fletcher, f.	3	1	7
Don Adair, f.	5	0	10
Dee Prewit, c.	2	2	6
Clarence Parker, g.	3	0	6
Ken Hewett, g.	3	2	8
Totals	16	5	37

Results of Past Week.
Rotan 55, Anson 50.
Stamford 42, Colorado City 39.
Rotan 52, Hamlin 37.
Stamford 46, Anson 45.

DISTRICT CAGE STANDINGS

McCauley Teams Beat Highland in Double Cage Bill

Stamford's Bulldog cagers took undisputed lead of the District 4-AA basketball race Tuesday night after eking out two wins during the past week. Hamlin dropped to the cellar spot again by losing its only conference tilt to Rotan Tuesday night. The standings now look like this:

Team—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Stamford	6	5	1	.833
Colorado City	5	3	2	.600
Anson	6	2	4	.333
Rotan	6	2	4	.333
Hamlin	5	1	4	.200

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Where They Play.

Tonight (Friday)—Hamlin at Stamford; Colorado City at Anson; Rotan, open.
Tuesday—Rotan at Colorado City; Stamford, open; Anson at Hamlin.

McCauley—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Warner, f.	4	3	11
Henderson, f.	6	1	13
Williams, c.	3	0	6
Decker, g.	8	2	18
Alexander, g.	3	2	8
Totals	24	8	56

HIGHLAND—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Thompson, f.	4	2	10
Ranneyfield, f.	11	4	26
J. Bullwood, c.	3	4	10
Petty, g.	2	3	7
D. Bullwood, g.	1	0	2
Totals	21	13	55

In the girls' game Tressy Taylor was high pointer for McCauley with 16 points, and Letha Price held the honors for Highland with 17 markers.

Colorado City Trims ACHS in Extra Game

Being idle from District 4-AA play, the Colorado City Wolves celebrated by taking a 55 to 47 count over the Abilene Christian High School crew Tuesday night in a tilt played on their home court.

Roland Pollard was high point scorer for the night with 20 points for ACHS, while Billy Simmons and Bobby Williams each accounted for 15 tallies for Colorado City.

The Piperettes meet the Anson girls next Tuesday night for their second round game. The following Friday, February 10, they play Colorado City at Hamlin.

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment—Mrs. Lala Harbert, telephone 348-J. 1c

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We would like to take this method to express our thanks and appreciation for the beautiful floral arrangements and good food that our many friends of Hamlin supplied in our hours of grief in the loss of our loved ones. Also we wish to express our thanks to the women who prepared and served the food. Also we say thanks to the Hamlin police personnel for their kindness. We appreciate the Stamford Hospital staff and the Kinney Funeral Home of Stamford for their participation. May God bless you all.—The Children of Maxine and David Hall. 1p

• WANTED

WANTED — Couple to live on place and help elderly couple around house; house rent free. Call 765-J or see Jim Griffin at McCauley. 1p

Hamlin Boys' Teams Split Cage Games With Roscoe Squads

Hamlin High School's boys' basketball team split two games with cagers from Roscoe Thursday night in tilts played on the Hamlin court. The Pipers were idle in the district competition.

The Plowboys defeated the Pied Pipers 45 to 35 in a fast game. Weatherhogs led the scoring for the Plowboys with 16 points, and Ken Hewett was high scorer for the Pipers with 11.

Hamlin won the B game by a 38 to 27 score. Don Drummond bucketed 11 points for Hamlin, and Dooley led the scoring for the Roscoe Bs with eight points.

Box score on the A game follows:

Hamlin	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lane Fletcher, f.	1	1	6
Don Adair, f.	4	1	9
Dee Prewit, c.	4	1	9
Clarence Parker, g.	1	2	4
Ken Hewett, g.	5	1	11
Totals	15	5	35

Roscoe	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
May, f.	0	3	3
Duncan, f.	3	12	18
Richburg, c.	1	0	2
Dooley, g.	2	2	6
Weatherhogg, f.	8	0	16
Gortney, g.	1	0	2
Totals	15	15	45

Box score on the B game follows:

Hamlin	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
May, f.	4	2	10
Duncan, f.	11	4	26
Richburg, c.	3	4	10
Dooley, g.	2	2	6
Weatherhogg, f.	8	0	16
Gortney, g.	1	0	2
Totals	21	13	55

Box score on the A game follows:

Highland	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.

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Measures Designed to Raise Standards Of Living for Farmers Being Promoted

Hamlin area farmers will be interested in measures designed to help farmers attain a high and rising standard of living without continuous government accumulation of surpluses and without production controls as proposed in a report by the research and policy committee of the Commission for Economic Development at Washington.

In a detailed study of the farm problem, the committee recommended that the costs of necessary economic readjustments for agriculture be shared by the country as a whole, rather than being borne entirely by farmers.

1-A Draftees May Be Put in Army Reserve

Young men of the Hamlin area are advised that the state selective service director, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, this week announced receipt of official regulations which authorize draft boards to select certain men for ready reserve units of the Army.

Men selected must be limited to those who have occupations or activities in critical defense supporting industry, or research affecting national defense. Draft boards have a detailed list of these occupations and activities. Men selected must also be in Class 1-A.

Prolonged Drouth Awakens Farmers To Conservation

The nation faces "an accumulation of problems that have become urgent and that, because of their size and character, agriculture cannot handle by itself," the committee said, adding that "there is no quick and easy way out of our present farm difficulties." It identified three fundamental problems requiring public action: (1) Too much production of some farm products; (2) too much instability of farmers' incomes; (3) too many full time farm families with very low incomes.

To deal with the problem of surplus crops, the committee recommended "a combination of continued price supports at gradually reduced levels, coupled with a program to pay farmers to take some land out of production." Governmental rental of this land, primarily wheat acreage, should be geared to bringing production and consumption into balance over a transitional period of perhaps five years, it said.

To deal with the problem of unstable incomes the committee recommended "moderating extreme price fluctuations through a system of flexible price supports or income payments and a storage program." These devices would not be used to affect the long-run movement of prices but would protect farmers against sharp and temporary swings of prices and income."

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Roger Babson Discusses School Costs And Better Salaries for Class Teachers

This week's release to The Herald from Roger W. Babson, eminent economist and analyst, discusses school costs and teachers' salaries. Babson says both teachers and taxpayers are concerned. His article follows:

Let me start out by saying my sympathies are distinctly with the school teachers and especially with the school principals. It is true that truck drivers are getting more pay than school teachers. Morally this seems unjust, but the fact is that the employers have substituted motors for horses and big trucks for wagons. These trucks carry as much in a day as the old horses and wagons carried in a week. In other words, the employers have adopted methods which enable the

truck drivers to have increased wages.

Painters today are paid double what they were 20 years ago; but employers have adopted sprayers in place of hand brushes. Carpenters are getting double, but the employers are supplying them with electric saws instead of hand saws. The school committees and the city fathers, on the other hand, have not done much of anything to help the teachers do more efficient work. As an employer, I pay my typists double what I used to pay them; but with electric typewriters and other machinery they give me double the work. The doctor costs us more a visit; but he is making more profit. Hard-covered books cost more; but we can get the same thing for half the price with paper covers. Radios, washing machines and TVs have all improved in quality, and hence profit returns offset the wage increases.

Let us consider who benefits from the increased costs of modern school buildings. Twenty per cent of this increased cost is due to unnecessary classroom space, glass windows unused ventilation, and rules or regulations put through by the labor unions and similar associations. Fifty per cent of the increased cost is due to plumbing, electrical work, modern kitchens, fancy gymnasiums, auditoriums to please the public.

Unfortunately, the teachers' future probably awaits some very important research. The schools are spending billions a year to park and lunch children, but—unlike our large industries—are spending very little on fundamental research. We understand the psychology of a cow better than the psychology of a child. Those who control education do not know the difference between a "brain" and a "mind," to say nothing about the probabilities of extrasensory perception and the use of numbers rather than sentences.

Possibilities of the mind are tremendous. But teachers may be obliged to supplement their teaching by giving pupils prescribed diets, or new undiscovered drugs, or electric impulses. Education also may take an active interest in eugenics. As Sir George Thompson is reported to say, "What the brain can foresee presents the greatest promise that lies ahead."

Surely, the time required for a conventional education will be cut 75 per cent, schools will graduate far more efficient pupils, and teachers will be paid what they are worth, or else they will be replaced by UNIVAC machines.

Information Days Set on Mondays for Income Taxpayers

Hamlin area taxpayers are reminded that Monday was the first taxpayer information day to be held at the internal revenue office, according to the administrative officer in charge, Howard O. Nichols. On Monday mornings between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. the revenue service will have trained tax men available to answer taxpayers' questions.

Taxpayer information days will be held each Monday morning until April 16. Nichols suggested that most taxpayers will find that early preparation in filing of the 1955 federal income tax return is a much better remedy or the average taxpayer's annual headache than taking aspirin for three months and then hunting some one to do it for him.

About 720,000 refund checks are mailed each year, out of the 1,250,000 tax returns filed in the Dallas district. Thousands of other taxpayers owe practically no tax at all. Over 50 per cent of these taxpayers enjoy a refund check instead of signing a check for Uncle Sam. These taxpayers should file immediately.

Nichols reminded taxpayers that residents of the Dallas district should make checks payable to, and send returns to the District Director of Internal Revenue, 2101 Pacific Avenue, Dallas.

MORE COMMON NAME.

"Tom, are you ever troubled with sleeplessness?"

"I sure am. Some nights I don't sleep three hours."

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"I've had it about six months; but we call it a baby."



FIFTH SPEAKER in the series being presented at the First Methodist Church on topics of Christian vocations is Mrs. C. C. Coffee (above) of Lubbock, who will speak Sunday evening on "Leader Among Women." Mrs. Coffee is president of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Conference.

Secretaries Sought for Duty with Red Cross

Secretaries or stenographers who are interested in overseas work with the American National Red Cross are urged to write to the organization's midwestern area headquarters at St. Louis, Missouri, or their own local Red Cross chapters.

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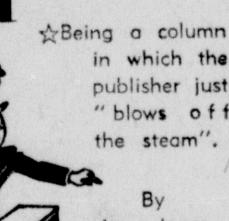
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C DR. JOHN KINNAMAN of Long Beach, California, an archaeologist for 53 years, who is in Hamlin for a series of lectures under sponsorship of Faith Methodist Church, declared Tuesday at a civic club luncheon that he became an archaeologist quite by chance when he was a lad of 10 summers.

"As a farm lad one summer day, as I walked bare-footed down a little lane, I stubbed my big toe on a sharp object," he declared. "After administering first aid to the toe, I returned to the spot to find that the sharp object was a fine specimen of an arrow-head. I dug it up, later adding hundreds to my collection. The enchantment and lure of the arrow-heads gave rise to further studies in archaeology and now at 88 years of age, I have devoted more than half a century to this fascinating study."

C "YOUNG MAN," said the angry Anson father from the head of the stairs, as a young Hamlin swain sat with the man's daughter, "didn't I hear the clock strike three when you brought my daughter home?"

"You did," admitted the boy. "It was going to strike eleven, but I grabbed it and held the gong so it wouldn't disturb you."

The father muttered to himself "Dawgone! Why didn't I think of that in my day?"

C MRS. LYLE YOUNG, wife of the editor of The Mend News, has already given up on her New Year's resolutions, according to a squib in her column, "She Sez":

This year firmly I resolved To check my list with care, And cancel all the promises That looked suspicious there. The total reformation.

That the promises could be Sounded mighty noble, but They didn't sound like me. And so each resolution Got a frank and final "Nix," Which means I stay a stinker All thru fifty-six!

C JESS PARRISH, band director at Hamlin High School, first of the week changed his name to a simpler and easily pronounced one—"Schwump."

It all came about as a result of his conniving two weeks ago with the wives of members of the Hamlin Lions Club as he planned the program for the recent ladies' night banquet. The Lions were derided and jeered and slammed so badly by the wives at the affair that some of the civic group suggested that Parrish be hanged in retribution.

When the club met Tuesday for the regular weekly luncheon, a regulation rope noose was suspended from the overhead beam of the meeting hall by some prankster Lion. A sign on the noose announced it was for Jess Parrish.

So immediately upon entering the hall, Parrish announced that he was not that person—that he forthwith would be known as Schwump.

C SILLY LITTLE DITTIES like the one below help to fill up this column:

A canner, exceedingly canny, One day remarked to his granny, "A canner can can Anything that one can, But a canner can't can a can, can he?"

C CORINNE SECOR writes a very pithy column in the Katy Railway's magazine that comes to our desk. We'd like to share some of her recent squibs:

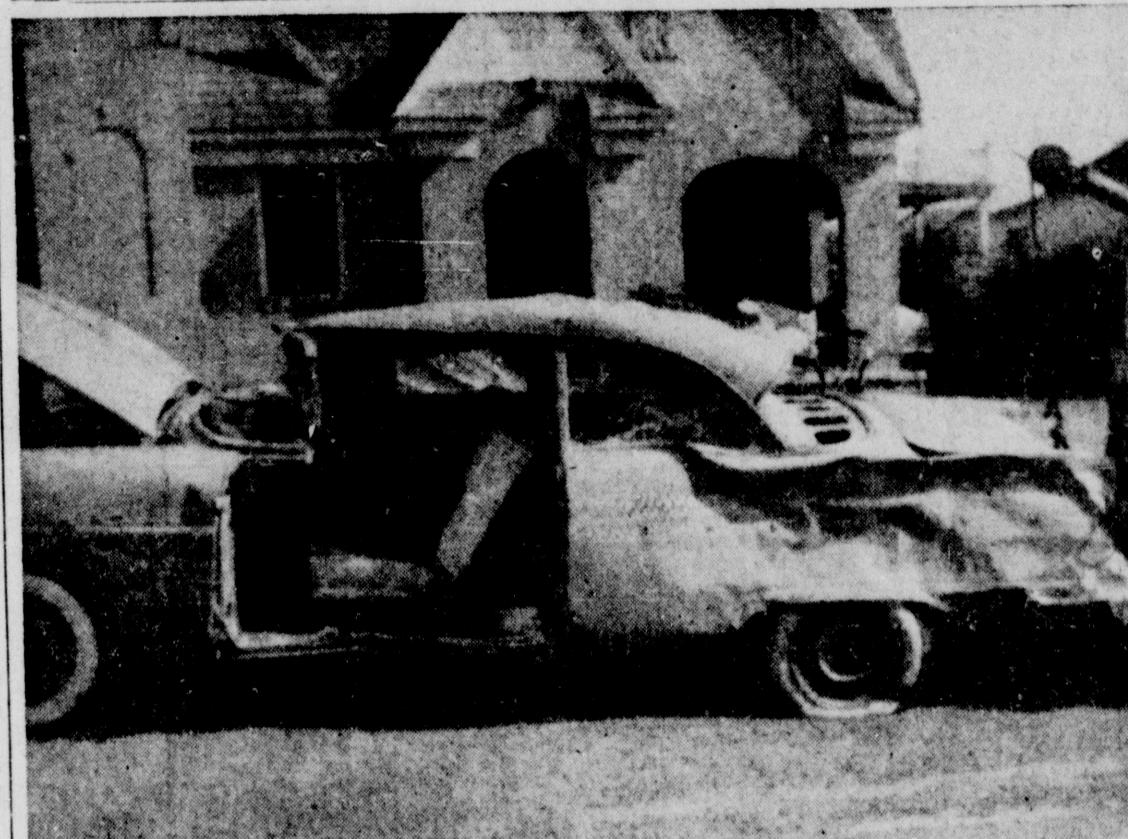
The Supreme Court of the United States gives a man the right to open his wife's letters, but it doesn't give him the courage.

World's most tragic figure: The fellow who just shot a hole-in-one with nobody looking.

Subtlety is the art of saying what you think and getting out of range before it is understood. On a questionnaire asking "What has been the principal contribution of the automobile age?" a bright young freshman gave the following answer: "It has practically stopped horse stealing!"

Uncle Willie says he never could figure out how a fool and his money got together in the first place.

It's better to tell the truth than to try and remember what you said.



AUTOMOBILE IN WHICH THREE DIED last Friday afternoon a mile south of Stamford is shown above after it was towed to Hamlin. Victims of the two-car collision were Mr. and Mrs. David V. Hall and Forrest Lacy, all residents of Hamlin. The wrecked automobile had been placed near the Hamlin High School as a reminder to youthful drivers to drive carefully. Mrs. Hall was a waitress at a Hamlin drive-inn, and Lacy was an oil field worker, with headquarters at a Hamlin hotel.

Herald One-Minute Polaroid Photo

Three from Hamlin Killed in Collision South of Stamford

Several Others In Colliding Cars Escape Injuries



Lubbock Woman to Speak in Series of Talks to Methodists

Three Hamlin people died as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident last Friday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock, one mile south of Stamford on the New Hope farm-to-market road. Dead were David V. Hall, 38; his wife, Mrs. Maxine Staples Hall, 33; and Forrest Lacy, 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall and their 13-year-old son, Jack, were occupants of a 1955 Ford driven by Lacy. The car collided with another 1955 Ford coach driven by Vernay Howard of Paint Creek community.

The Halls' son escaped serious injury. Howard's wife received scalp lacerations in the accident, and Howard suffered a broken thumb. The Howards' nine-year-old son, Dubby, also escaped injury.

The Halls had lived in Hamlin for the past three years. Mrs. Hall was a waitress at Starr's Drive Inn. Lacy worked as a roughneck in the oil fields out of Hamlin and Sweetwater. He made his home at the Foster Hotel in Hamlin.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hall were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the Four-square Gospel Church in Hamlin, of which she was a member. Rev.

Dr. Price to Speak at Rotary Ladies' Night

Ladies' night banquet for the Hamlin Rotary Club has been set for the evening of February 17 at the Primary School cafeteria, it was announced this week by President J. E. Patterson of the civic group.

Dr. Sterling Price, pastor of the University Baptist Church in Abilene, will be the speaker at the banquet.

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Archaeologist Tells Rotary Club About Visit to Queen of Sheba's Ancient Tomb

One of those present when the Queen of Sheba's mummified body was found in the ruins of ancient Egypt, Dr. John O. Kinnaman, eminent archaeologist of Long Beach, California, declared that when one of her arms moved as the wrappings were moved from the body, he led the procession in a quick exit, when he spoke at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club.

The speaker, who is conducting a series of lectures on Biblical archaeology this week under sponsorship of the Faith Methodist Church, was introduced by the church's pastor, Rev. John Syrios.

Kinnaman, who spent 42 years in Egypt as an archaeologist, gave other descriptions of some of his experiences through the Near East. In huge caves at Thesis

AT CORPUS AIR BASE Billy G. Deel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deel of Hamlin, has recently been transferred to the Corpus Christi Air Force Base at the Texas Gulf Coast city. He had returned last month from a tour of duty in the Far East.

GRAINS ON CATTLE GYPSUM

Woman's Club, Library To Be Made of Harden Home

Service Pins Given To Hamlin Cubs in Monday Meeting

Presentation of one-year and two-year pins to 14 members of the Cub Scouts in Hamlin featured the monthly awards meeting of the various dens last Monday evening at the Primary School cafeteria.

Following an opening prayer by Joe Stephens, the following awards were presented:

One-year Pins — Fred Shave, Raymond Renfro, Butch Holland, Don Kelly, Kenneth Scott, Tom Robertson, Jesse Goolshy, Tom Hall and Joe Hays.

Two-Year Pins — Van Newberry, Dan Newberry, Mark Smith, Larry Stevens and Barry Moore.

A series of songs and games provided diversion for the group.

Then officers for the new year were read, as follows: Eddie Jay Cubmaster; Othel Sipe and Starr Inzer, assistant Cubmasters; Barney Cumbe, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Lewis Fincannon, awards secretary; Mrs. Garland Preston, reporter; Earl Smith, Starr Inzer, Curtis Dodd and Garland Preston, planning board; B. O. Bell, Bob Todd, Prentice Holland and Albert Hill, committeemen; B. V. Newberry, Webelos leader; Dr. M. L. Smith, assistant.

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TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Goings-on in the Hamlin community 20 years ago included the following, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 31, 1936:

New bridge across the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, 12 miles north of Hamlin, was dedicated last Thursday. Harry Hines, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, was among dignitaries taking part in the big celebration.

Florence Boyd of Hamlin made the fall term honor roll at Baylor University, according to a release from the Waco school.

Carol Benson and Cleddie Hall of Hamlin, members of the 1935 squad of Hardin-Simmons University, have been recommended for football letters at the Abilene university.

Mr. McLendon and Lillian Turner of the Neinda community were married at Anson January 18.

For the fifth year in a row the Pied Pipers of Hamlin High School are the basketball champions of Jones County. They ended the season Monday night with a victory over Anson to give them six wins and no defeats in the conference for the session.

Mary Boyd has accepted a position in the primary department of the Fort Stockton schools.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Among happenings in the Hamlin community ten years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 1, 1946:

District Governor Charles S. Peyton of Cleburne was a special guest Tuesday noon of the Hamlin Lions Club.

Twenty-degree weather in the area the past several days has been hard on livestock. Little moisture has fallen.

Final contract on the Hamlin-to-Sylvester Farm-to-Market road is due to be let within a few days, according to the Texas Highway Commission.

L. C. Yeats has been named commander of the Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Charter has been approved for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association to build a hospital Hamlin.

Anson High School Tigers, with five wins and no losses, leads the district Class A basketball race. Hamlin's Pied Pipers, with three victories and two defeats, is third in the standings. Throckmorton being second.

William Blanton of Albany and Miles of Stamford have put their hats in the ring as candidates for congressman of the 17th Congressional District.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 26, 1951:

A record low temperature for the season was reported at 5:00 o'clock Thursday morning when the thermometer at the Santa Fe Railway depot registered four degrees below zero.

Oil activity in the Hamlin section has been gaining impetus during the past several weeks. Completion this week of the new well on the Bowdy place by General Crude Oil Company highlights recent producers.

A meeting of farmers of the Hamlin area with County Agent Bill Lehmberg will outline the proposed new seven-point cotton program designed to give the farmer relief from over-production of cotton.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Considered news a year ago in the Hamlin community were the following briefs, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 4, 1955:

Members of the senior class of Hamlin High School this week announced approval of a trip to New Orleans, Louisiana, as the annual trip of the graduates.

Reports on the feasibility of a proposed water conservation plan for the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River, northwest of Hamlin, is expected within a few days from the engineering firm of Freese & Nichols of Fort Worth. The project is being investigated as a plan of the water resources committee of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce.

Contractors on the city street paving program have about finished all the work that has been signed up, according to Roy Dunlap, city engineer.

Installation of 57 new street lights has been ordered by the City Council as part of a project to brighten up some dark spots over the city.

Editorial of the Week

PAMPERING BREEDS WEAKNESS

A government that protects the weak will always have lots of that kind of people; a government that lets the strong develop will have that kind.

It is a law of nature that pampering breeds weakness. The pen-raised bird, loosed in the wilds, has small chance of survival, as many state game agencies have learned from extensive experience. The parallel extends to the human individual. And the result is about the same whether the excessive pampering comes from a doting family or a paternalistic government.

The shortest and surest way to life with honor in the world is to be in reality what we would appear to be.

Whatever you dislike in another person, take care to correct in yourself.—Spratt.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: J. L. Weaver, medical, January 23; John Kent Jones, medical, January 23; Mrs. E. S. Free of Sylvester, medical, January 24; Charlotte Burleson, medical, January 24; Morris Neves of Abilene, medical, January 25; Mrs. J. L. Williams of Aspermont, ob., January 25; Mrs. Johnny Agnew, medical, January 25; Harvey Lawlis of McCaulley, medical, January 25; Mrs. P. A. Maxwell, ob., January 25; Mrs. Roy Carmichael, medical, January 26; Mrs. W. C. Moore, Sr., ob., January 26; Kenneth Wiggington, medical, January 26; Mrs. H. Myers of Peacock, medical, January 27; Mickey Perry of Aspermont, medical, January 27; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, medical, January 27; Jimmy Holmes, medical, January 27; Mrs. R. D. Harwell, medical, January 27; James Brewer of Post, medical, January 27; C. T. Carter, medical, January 26; Merrell Davis of McCaulley, medical, January 27; Mary Humphries of McCaulley, medical, January 28; Mrs. D. A. Self of Sylvester, medical, January 29; Pamela Hood of Sylvester, medical, January 29; G. M. Bond, medical, January 30; Edward Dodd, medical, January 30; Mrs. Ira Green, medical, January 29; Mrs. J. T. McHaffey of McCaulley, medical, January 29; Mrs. G. C. Black, ob., January 29; Mrs. Pearl Kennedy, medical, January 31; C. M. Pointer, medical, January 30; O. L. Farnsworth, medical, January 30; Barbara Connally, medical, January 30; C. J. Sewell, medical, January 30; Jim Anderson, medical, January 30; S. J. King, medical, January 30; Mrs. S. J. King, medical, January 30; Jimmy Bellah of Cotton Center, medical, January 31; Mrs. J. B. Hester, medical, January 31.

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Friday, February 3, 1956

THE HAMLIN HERALD, HAMLIN, JONES COUNTY, TEXAS

Announcements for Political Office**Archaeologist Tells Lions Group of Peek In King Tut's Tomb**

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 28, 1956:

JONES COUNTY:

For Representative, 85th District: MOYNE L. KELLY

For County Assessor-Collector: IMA B. DOUGHERTY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: JOHNIE AGNEW.

Faith Methodist Men Reorganized Friday At Kick-Off Dinner

Kick-off dinner for a reorganized unit of Methodist Men of the Faith Methodist Church was held Friday evening at Starr's Drive-Inn. The dinner was given for the purpose of reorganizing the men's group.

Principal speaker of the evening was W. T. Johnson, who gave some information concerning organization and things that can be done to make the Methodist Men's group a successful club.

He is president of the men's group at the First Methodist Church.

The Faith Methodist Men were already chartered, so was no election of officers. They are: Jack Bond, president; Donald Bockman, vice president; B. F. Ford, secretary; E. C. Gray, treasurer; J. W. Syrios, reporter; and G. M. Bond, attendance chairman. Also present were O. C. Stice, E. A. Lawlis, O. H. Griffith and his father, J. B. Bowman.

All officers were installed with the pastor officiating. Meetings were set on the last Friday evening of each month.

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SWEETWATER, TEXAS

In recognition of 25 years' connection as agent for the Hanover Fire Insurance Company by the local Turner-Hunter Insurance Agency and its predecessors, John C. Turner Sr. and Mrs. Laverne Hunter were presented a plaque by representatives of the major concern Wednesday afternoon.

Making the presentation was James B. Strange of Abilene, representing the regional agent, Floyd West & Company of Dallas.

Mother of Principal B. V. Newberry Dies Tuesday at Childress

Death came Tuesday night to Mrs. E. N. Newberry, 70-year-old mother of Hamlin High School Principal B. V. Newberry, at a hospital in Childress. She had been ill for several months following the amputation last year of a lower limb.

Principal Newberry was at her bedside when the end came.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday (Thursday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. A number of Hamlin friends attended the final rites.

Surviving the pioneer Childress resident are her husband and five sons.

REALLY EFFICIENT.

Mistress—"Can you serve company?"

New Maid—"Yes, either way."

Mistress—"Either way?"

Maid—"Yes, ma'am—so they'll come again or so they won't."

THREE KILLED

(concluded from page one)
Carl Pool, pastor, officiated. Interment was in the Hamlin Cemetery.

Services for David Hall were conducted Saturday afternoon at Taylor, Arkansas, former home of Hall. The body was sent from Abilene to Arkansas by Kinney Funeral Home of Stamford.

Mrs. Hall was born on September 10, 1922 at Anson. She married David Hall in 1940 at Taylor, Arkansas, where they lived a short while. She had lived most of her life in Jones County.

Survivors include four children, Jack C. Hall, Hubert Wayne Hall and Rosa Annette Hall, all of Hamlin; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stapler of Sweetwater; three brothers, Jim Stapler of Royalty and L. D. and Harry Stapler of Sweetwater; and two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Riley of Dallas and Mrs. Flo Ella Boiles of Abilene.

Hall's survivors include the children: his father, I. M. Hall of Arkansas; two brothers, Givins and Howard, both of Taylor, three sisters, Mrs. Hattie Thompson of Taylor, Mrs. Thelma Bean of Louisiana and Dorothy Hall of Taylor.

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Santa Fe Carloadings Continue Above 1955

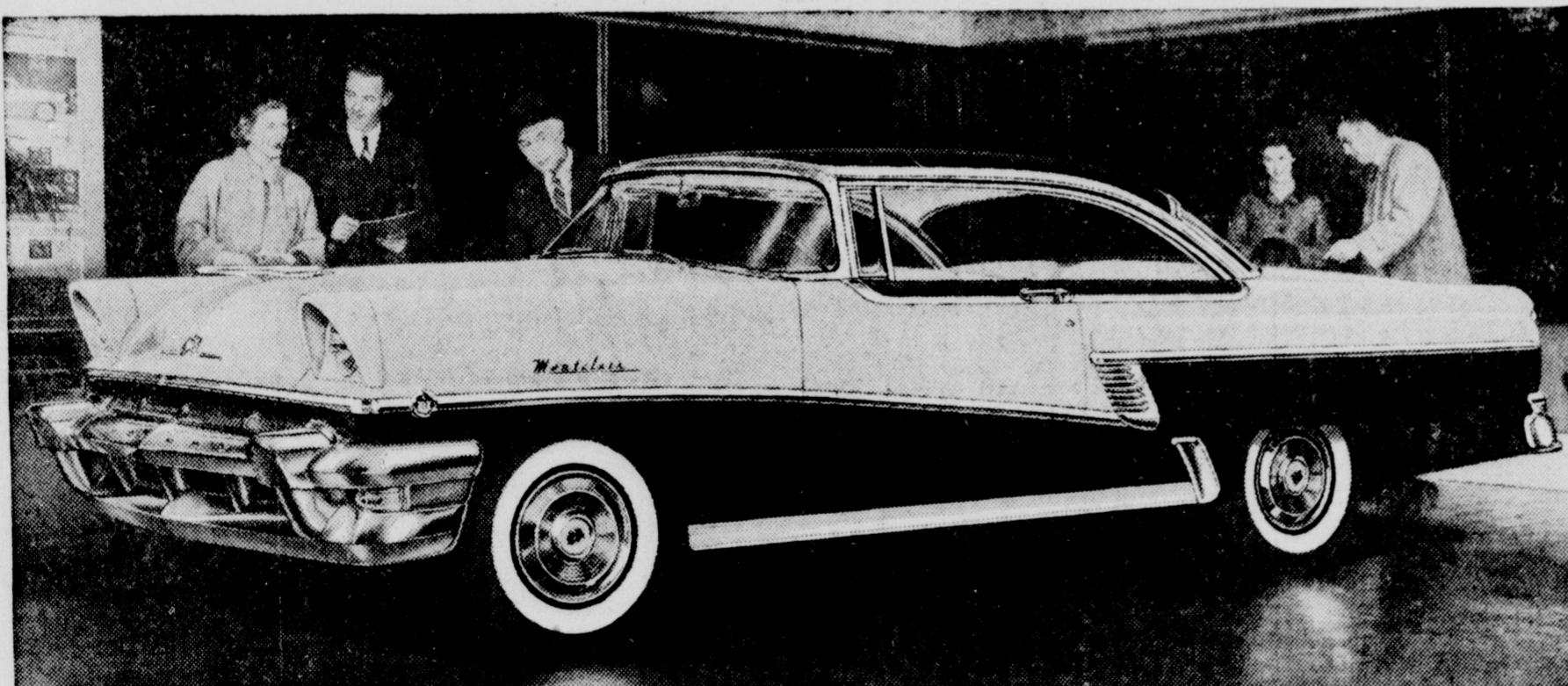
Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending January 28, 1956, were 23,399 compared with 22,065 for the same week in 1955. Cars received from connections totaled 11,831 compared with 12,327 in 1955.

Total cars moved were 35,230 compared with 34,392 for the same week in 1955. Santa Fe handled a total of 36,601 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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The big buy is THE BIG MERCURY

Be sure to see the big television hit, "THE ED SULLIVAN SHOW", Sunday evening, 9:30 to 10:30, Station KRBC-TV, Channel 9.

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Farmers Warned Of Grain Sorghum Seed Sold as Hybrid

Farmers of the Hamlin section are being warned this week that reports have come from farmers and seed dealers not only in Texas, but also Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma that ordinary white and in some cases red grain sorghum seed are being sold by transplanters as hybrids.

Farmers and seed dealers are reminded by Jack G. King, Texas A. & M. College System agronomist with headquarters in Lubbock, that only a very limited supply of hybrid grain sorghum seed is available for planting this year. Most of the seed produced in 1955 is being used in demonstration plantings of from one to five acres. These demonstrations are widely scattered over the entire state and demonstrators are being supplied with planting seed.

Adequate supplies of hybrid sorghum planting seed should be available to all farmers for 1957 plantings, but the supply to be sold for 1956 plantings is very small.

Finally, King says, buy hybrid sorghum planting seed only from a reliable local dealer or seed grower.

30 Additions Reported In First Baptist Revival

One of the best revival meetings held in several years at the First Baptist Church, according to the pastor, Rev. Houston Walker, closed Sunday night.

Thirty additions to the church were the visible results of the series of services conducted by Rev. Stanley Brown of Amarillo. Numerous rededications also resulted, Walker said. Twenty-eight of the additions were by baptism, most of whom were adults.

Rubber bands at The Herald.

Hamlin Lions to Go to Stamford Charter Fete

President W. S. Seals of Hamlin Lions Club will head a delegation of local Lions as they go tonight (Friday) to the charter night program of the new Stamford Lions Club at the Stamford High School cafeteria.

Edward G. Barry of Little Rock, Arkansas, second vice president of Lions International, will be the speaker. Also present for the occasion will be Wilfred R. McDonald of Fort Worth, governor of District 2-E of Lions International; and Charles Hogsett of Roby, deputy district governor.

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FRESH PRODUCE	
LETTUCE, lb.	10c
CABBAGE, lb.	4c
YELLOW ONIONS, lb.	5c
SUNKIST ORANGES, lb.	9c
Gold Rush YAMS, lb.	8c
Russet POTATOES, 10-lb.	49c

FROZEN FOODS	
Sweet Pickin'	10-Oz. Pkg.
BROCCOLI, SMALL LIMAS or CUT GREEN BEANS	16c
PERCH, 1-lb. pkg.	37c
Thomas FISH STICKS, 8-oz.	35c
Donald Duck Frozen	6-Oz. Cans
ORANGE JUICE	3 for 49c

Pork Liver, lb.	15c
Bulk Sausage, lb.	39c
Beef Ribs, lb.	22c
Loin Steak, lb.	59c
HAMS	Half or Whole
PARKAY, lb.	29c
Kraft CARAMELS, lb.	35c
TIDE, 16-lb., 1-oz.	\$3.45
CAMAY, Bath size	2 for 25c
JELLO, pkg.	7c
SCOT TISSUE, roll	10c
KLEENEX, 400-ct. box	25c

Dromedary CAKE MIXES, pkg.	28c
SPAGHETTI SKINNERS	7-Oz. Pkg. 12½c
DOUBLE STAMPS	
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OUTSTANDING YOUNG TEXANS—These five young men were named by the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce as outstanding young Texans for their exceptional contributions to their communities in 1955. Left to right, they are: Dan Eddy of Dallas, 34, public relations and fund raising; Bill Allcorn of Brownwood, 32, attorney and district attorney for 35th Judicial District; Jim Lindsey of Texarkana, 29, attorney and member of the House of Representatives of Texas; Dr. William Stuart McBurnie Jr. and speaker of the House of Representatives of Texas; Dr. William Bellamy of San Antonio, 35, a newspaper executive.

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The Herald's Page for Women



Jones County Demonstration Clubs Endorse Mrs. Harvey for State Office

Several Hamlin area club women were present when members of the Jones County Home Demonstration Council met Monday in the home demonstration agent's office at Anson. It was a called session, the regular meeting having been postponed because of bad weather.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Noel Weaver, the chairman. As the roll was called each member stood and told which club she represented and which office she holds. Minutes of the November and December meetings were read and approved. The secretary read the standing rules for council and they were adopted as amended.

Clubs reported their first meetings of the year were spent in installing new officers, naming committees and filling out yearbooks. They also reported making contributions to the March of Dimes or making plans for raising money for the drive.

Each club is to bring to the February council a candidate for delegate to the District 3 spring meeting, and each club is to bring a candidate for county THDA chairman.

Wilson Creek club has endorsed and recommended Mrs. Maxey Harvey as candidate for secretary of the Texas Home Demonstration Association. The Jones County Council also voted to endorse Mrs. Harvey's candidacy for this office.

Pledges and Husbands Feted at Dinner by Beta Theta Saturday

Pledges and husbands of members were special guests when the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority staged a covered dish dinner Saturday night at the Primary School cafeteria.

Valentine decorations were used throughout the dining room, with a red candle being placed on a heart for each table centerpiece.

The buffet table was centered



PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS of a contest conducted a few weeks ago by Winston B. Lucas of Irving were announced this week. First place winner was Martha Ballard, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ballard of Hamlin. Second place winner was Sharee Reese Stinnett, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stinnett.

Mrs. Cliff Reynolds Gives Program at Sorority Unit Session

Mrs. Cliff Reynolds Jr. presented an interesting program on "Floor Coverings, Backgrounds and Textiles" when members of the Xi Gamma Pi exemplar chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. E. J. Hawkins last Thursday.

Mrs. Reynolds illustrated her talk with pictures from current home furnishing magazines.

A pink and blue gift shower was presented to Mrs. Jerry Waggoner at the close of the meeting. She was also presented the traditional silver cup bearing the crest of Beta Sigma Phi by the members.

Mrs. James Grisby of Denton was a guest. Besides those already mentioned, other members present were Mmes. W. T. Johnson, George Poe, Austin Poe, C. Weldon Griggs, M. L. Smith, Toby Williams and John C. Bryant.

with a heart and flower arrangement with red candles in candelabra on each side carrying out the Valentine theme.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Austin Poe, C. Weldon Griggs, H. L. Mehaffey, Jess Parrish, Gerald Young, Brad Rowland Jr., L. C. Bonds, Earl Smith, Wilson Brannon, Garland Preston, Billy Joe Wilson and Mrs. Truman Nix. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wofford, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were introduced as guests from Cushing, Oklahoma.

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Potatoes, Pork, Beef And Pork on Plentiful Food List for February

Hamlin community housewives are reminded that potatoes, pork, beef and grapefruit top the plentiful food list for February.

Mae Belle Smith, extension specialist in consumer education says potatoes are being consumed in decreasing amounts because they are thought to be fattening. This is not true, she says, for a medium sized potato contains about 100 calories. The thing to watch is the butter and gravy that are commonly eaten with the potato. Potatoes are a good source of vitamin C; contain B vitamins, iron and other minerals besides being a good energy food. They are a good food and good for you, says the specialist.

Red meat supplies for 1956 are expected to equal those for 1955 and a wide variety of kinds and cuts of pork and beef are available. Consumers are asking for leaner pork, and producers are responding by trying to produce more meat type hogs. Pork is a top source of vitamin B as well as iron and phosphorus.

Beef is still plentiful, and Miss Smith suggests that the economy cuts can help keep the food budget low.

Grapefruit, both fresh and processed, are available in large quantities at prices slightly below those of a year ago and are a good buy. Other fresh vegetables include cabbage and celery.

Rice, broilers, fryers, milk and other dairy products, vegetable fats and oils, peanut butter, lard and canned tuna round out the plentiful list for February.

RAISE EGG PRODUCTION.

Incomplete vaccination programs have reportedly resulted in severe production drops in some laying flocks in the state.

L-14, "A Suggested Vaccination Program for Chicks" is available at your local county agent's office.

Women's Groups Invited to Try for Traffic Safety Awards

Are women back seat drivers? Here is an invitation for them to sit up front and toot their own horn.

The National Safety Council announced this week that nominations are sought for the 1956 Carol Lane awards for traffic safety administered by the council through grant of the Shell Oil Company.

The awards, which recognize the achievements of women in the field of traffic accident prevention, are open to American women and to women's and parents' groups. Now in the fifth year they have revealed the important traffic safety support work being carried out by women, according to the council.

The awards are named for Carol Lane, women's travel director of Shell. The first three winners in both the individual and club categories will receive a bronze sculpture and \$1,000, \$500 and \$250 savings bonds, as well as trips to Chicago for the National Safety Congress in October.

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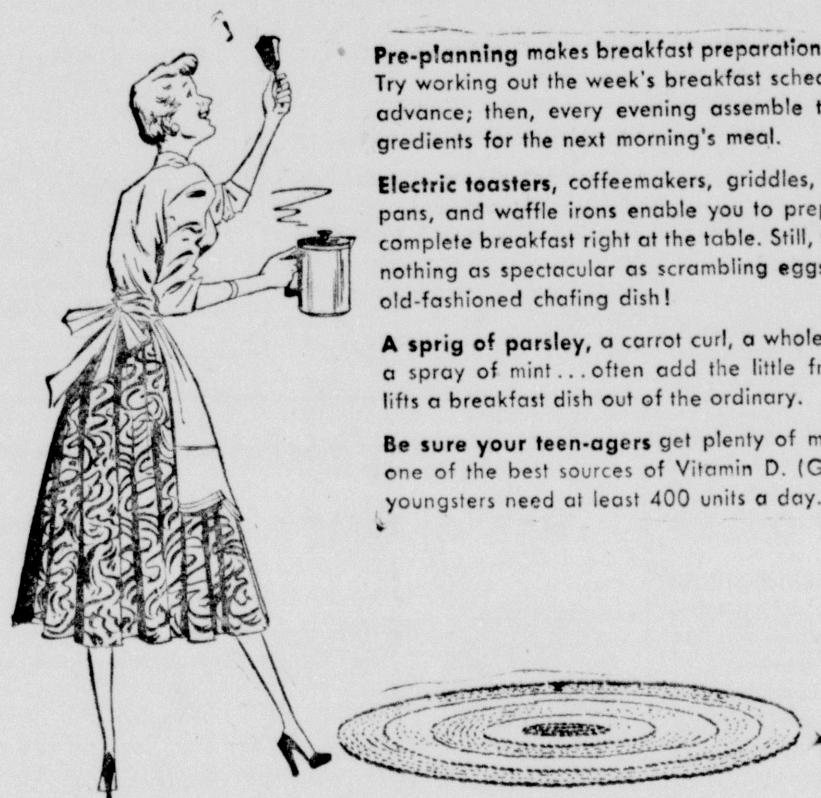
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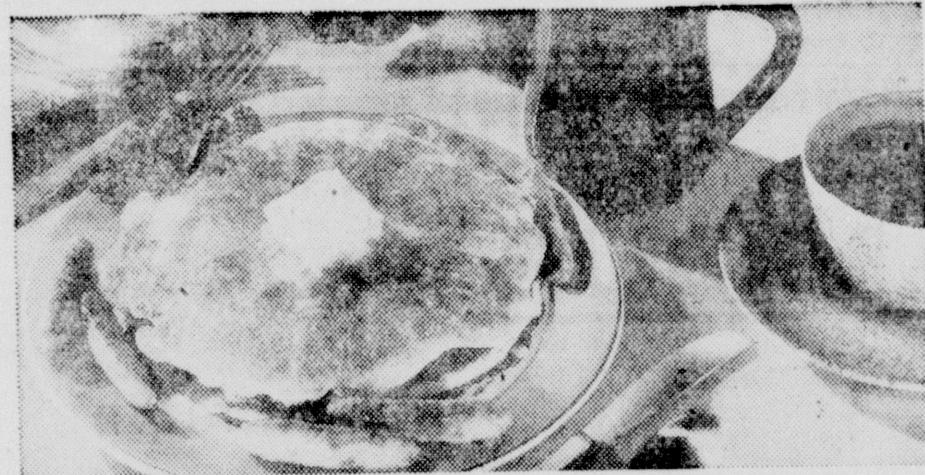


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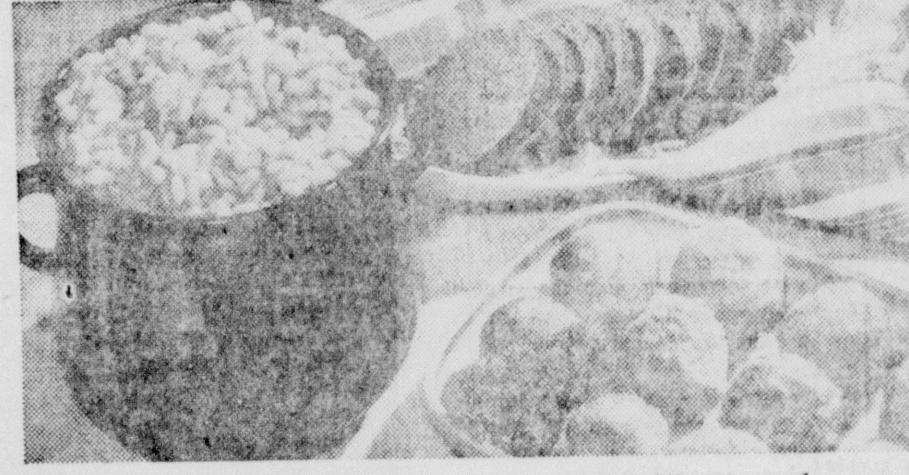
HAM AND EGGS. Everybody's year-round favorite. Tender-pink ham slices, golden-yolked eggs! Slices of broiled pineapple give this breakfast a new look, a new taste.

Steak	Round or Swiss, U.S. govt.-graded calf Lbs. 69¢	Cream of Wheat	28-Oz. Box 35¢
Grapefruit	Sections, Glenn-Aire Can 19¢	Potatoes	Russets Lbs. 8¢
Sliced Ham	Bone-in or Boneless, Center Lb. 89¢	White Eggs	Breakfast Gems, Grade A Doz. 61¢
Pineapple	La Lani, Sliced No. 2 Can 32¢	Biscuits	Puffin, Plain or Buttermilk 2 8-Oz. Cans 21¢



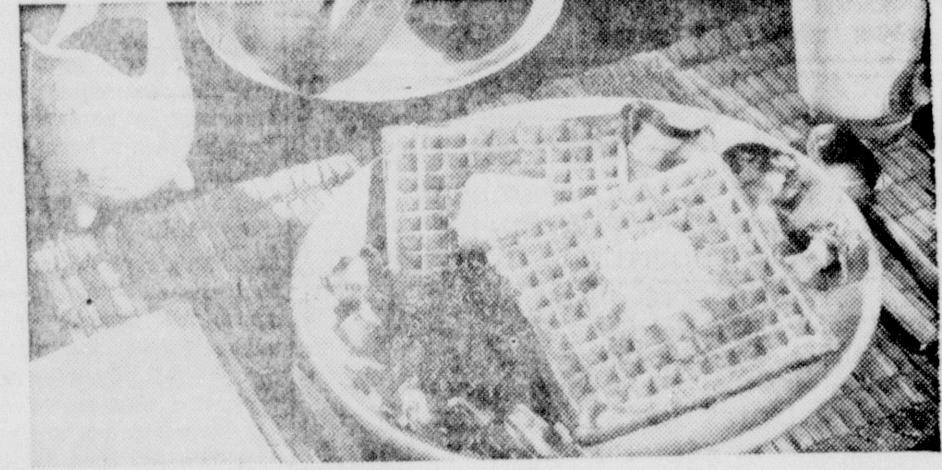
HOTCAKES AND SAUSAGES. A dozen variations for this popular breakfast: pancakes, buckwheats, dollar-size, crepes suzette, buttermilk cakes, and so on. Spicy link sausages complete the treat.

Pancake Flour	Suzanne Box 2 1/2-Lb. 29¢	Coffee	Folger's Instant 6-Oz. Jar 135
Margarine	Coldbrook Ctn. 1-Lb. 17¢	Syrup	Sleepy Hollow 12-Oz. Jar 25¢



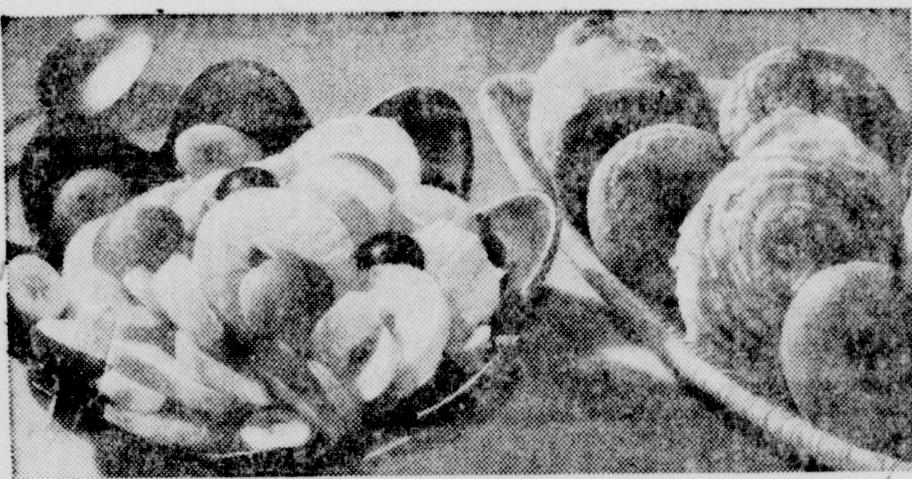
NEW ENGLAND SPECIAL. This "down East" breakfast can be a real surprise for your family. Includes rich, oven-baked beans; hot-buttered brown bread; flavorful codfish cakes.

Baked Beans	Boston Heinz 300 Can 20¢	Codfish Flakes	B & M 7-Oz. Can 29¢
Apple Butter	Musselman Jar 28-Oz. 25¢	Coffee	Edwards 6-Oz. Instant Jar 129



WAFFLES AND BACON. Another traditional favorite from coast to coast. A sprig of parsley adds a colorful touch. Serve with whole fruit on the side, milk and coffee.

Bacon	Sliced, Cello Pak, Capitol Pkg. 35¢	Frozen Waffles	Bel-Air Pkg. 5-Oz. 19¢
Prunes	Dried, Del Monte Stewed 303 Can 27¢	Orange Juice	Bel-Air Frozen 2 6-Oz. Cans 35¢



FRESH FRUIT AND SWEET ROLLS. Here's a pleasant change of pace, a delicious way to say "Good morning!" to your own little "breakfast club." Serve sweet rolls hot and buttered, or cold.

Purple Plums	No. 2 1/2 Highway Can 27¢	Rolls	Curly Cinnamon 9-Oz. Pkg. 20¢
Prunes	Rosetta 3-Lb. Medium Pkg. 75¢	Coffee Cake	Curly 11-Oz. Pkg. 29¢

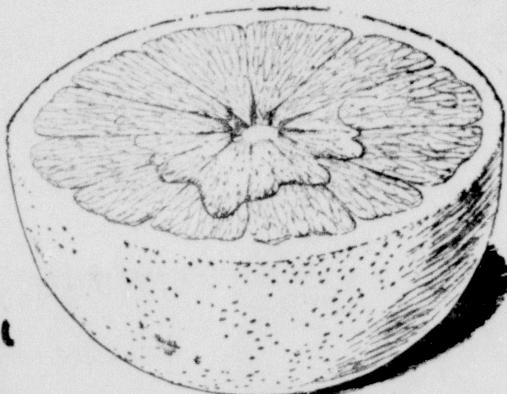


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Oats	3-Minute 20-Oz. Box 20¢	Post Tens	Assorted Cereals 11-Oz. Pkg. 35¢
Quick Grits	Quaker 24-Oz. Box 18¢	Figs	Kelvin Kadota 303 Can 26¢

Meat for extra-energy breakfasts...

Link Sausages	Swift Brookfield Pure Pork 1-Lb. Pkg. 49¢
Round Steak	U.S. choice-grade Top heavy beef Boneless Lb. 69¢ Bottom Boneless Lb. 65¢
Ground Beef	Economy Lb. 29¢
Short Ribs	or Brisket, U.S. Gov't. Graded Calf Lb. 21¢
Pork Sausages	Wingate 2-Lb. Pkg. 55¢
Pork Chops	Center Cut Lb. 65¢
Pork Roast	Boston Butt Lb. 39¢



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Carrots	2 1-Lb. Cell. 25¢
Potatoes	3 Lb. 25¢
	Economy, Russet 10-Lb. Bag 49¢

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Half & Half	Lucerne 25¢
Coffee Cream	Lucerne 19¢
Biscuits	Stylark Buttermilk Brown 'N Serve 20¢

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Grapefruit Juice	6-Oz. Can 10¢
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Pineapple Juice	Del Monte No. 2 Can 15¢
Prune Juice	Sunny Down 32-Oz. Can 37¢
Tomato Juice	Sunny Down 46-Oz. Can 26¢
Coffee	Nob Hill Extra Rich 1-Lb. Pkg. 82¢
Coffee	Edwards, Top Quality, Reg., Drip, Fine Grind 1-Lb. Can 87¢
Coffee	Folger's, Reg., Drip, Fine Grind 1-Lb. Can 90¢
Preserves	Empress, Red Raspberry 12-Oz. Glass 33¢
Jelly	Welch, Grape 10-Oz. Glass 25¢
Honey	Bread
	Skyline Butter & Egg 16-Oz. Loaf 18¢
	Skyline Raisin 16-Oz. Loaf 25¢
	Royal Sotin 3-Lb. Can 75¢
	Deepry Sugared 12-Cat. Pkg. 23¢
	Gold Medal 10-Lb. Bag 89¢
	Pillsbury's Best 10-Lb. Bag 89¢
	Aunt Jemima Buckwheat 1-Lb. Box 22¢
	Fleet Mix 20-Oz. Box 22¢
	Gebhardt 300 Can 25¢
Shortening	Donuts
	Gold Medal 10-Lb. Bag 89¢
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Congressman Burleson Declares That Cold War with Russia Will Be Long One

As stated in most of my speeches back home during this past fall, it was obvious soon after the Geneva conference that the cold war would continue unabated, writes Congressman Omar Burleson, in his regular weekly column, "Washington As It Looks from Here." His letter continues:

Perhaps we should be thankful for the lesser of two evils—that the "cold" war has not turned into a hot one. We might as well make up our minds, however, that as long as there is a Russia and Communism the present situation is going to be with us for a long time to come. The big problem is how to constantly fit it with courage, determination, responsibility and common sense.

We should now know what we cannot buy friendship with dollars, but it does not mean that we can isolate ourselves from the rest of the world and be safe. If we are responsible, we must look beyond all tomorrow.

The Senate finance committee has voted to exempt farmers from the federal gasoline tax for gasoline used in farm operations. This is a little "sop" which will amount to approximately \$60,000,000 a year in savings to the farmers. It is a drop in the bucket considering conditions facing the farmers, and should have been included in legislation a long time ago.

Although we have our troubles, at least our area is free from one of the very great difficulties facing many of the large cities in this country. This has to do with "smog."

The city of Los Angeles, California, is reported to be one of the worst. Carbon monoxide from automobiles mixed with

gases from industrial plants is said to be seriously impairing health and all that goes with it. Figures show that every day over the United States 35 tons of injurious matter fall from exhaust pipes of automobiles alone. A million and a half tons from automobiles and incinerators fall on New York City each year.

There is talk that the federal government will be called upon to assist in doing something about this situation.

Probably Useless Information Department: Nation's 1,300,000 parking meters soaked up \$90,000,000 in nickels in 1955. The horse did better. There are 21 states with legal betting, which had a \$2,000,000,000 turnover.

The backyard barbecue and fireplace vogue has sent fire wood sales beyond 50,000,000 cords a year. (Maybe there is hope for another Abe Lincoln.) I'm afraid there is still not much market for a considerable amount of mesquite wood I have on my place in Jones County.

As the Congress gets underway it would seem to me to be a good idea if each congressman would take note of the following words of Thomas Jefferson:

"I served with General Washington in the Legislature of Virginia, before the revolution, and, during it with Dr. Franklin in Congress. I never heard either of them speak 10 minutes at a time nor to any but the main point, which was to decide the question. They laid their shoulders to the great points, knowing that the little ones would follow of themselves. If the present Congress errs in too much talking, how can it be otherwise, in a body to which the people sent 150 lawyers, whose trade it is to question everything, yield nothing and talk by the hour?

That 150 lawyers should do business together ought not to be expected."



Call Creek Philosopher Is Not Worried About Town Men Trying to Be Farmers

Editor's note: The Call Creek Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on California Creek discusses the farm problem this week but leaves it as unsolved as ever.

Dear Editor: Everybody is talking about the farm problem these days, and I always listen very carefully—not to find out what the experts say the solution is but what they think the problem is. One idea that caught my attention the other day was a statement by an expert that the farm problem is being made worse by the fact that the farm population is dwindling, but I couldn't follow him. The way I see it, farmers are producing too much as it is, and anything that reduces the number of farmers might reduce the surplus, although this doesn't necessarily work that way, as we've already got fewer farmers and more surplus than any time before in history.

Another expert said the cause of some of the farm problem is the fact farms are being bought up by "doctors, lawyers, bankers and merchants" and used to cut down on their income taxes from profits made in town.

I do not see how this constitutes a farm problem. The best way I know to cut down on the farm surplus is to turn some land over to a town farmer. Most of 'em go strong for a little while, fixing up the place, throwing paint around, stretching new wire, etc., but in a little while their interest seems to play out, about the time they begin figuring up what it's costing them and how little they're producing.

In fact, one of the best ways I know to reduce the farm surplus in this country would be to turn over all farming operations to lawyers, bankers, doctors and merchants for a couple of years. I guarantee the surplus would disappear completely.

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Of course the same thing would work in the other direction. Any time this country gets a worrisome surplus of money on hand, just put me and a bunch of other farmers in charge of banking and we'll take care of it.

Yours faithfully—J. A.

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Donald Wellman Schedules Series of Talks on Prophecy

W. Donald Wellman, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will begin a series of three messages on the second coming of Christ and prophecy. This series will begin Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the sanctuary at the Church of the Nazarene.

As a reason for such a series, he stated, "The times in which we live are producing prophets of every hand. Many strange things are being predicted. Books by the dozens are being printed and being sold by the tens of thousands. Radio programs featuring prophecy are being released by the score. Unusual times always produce unusual prophets. Some of the best people swallow anything and everything and pay a good price for it."

"It is no wonder that people by the millions are grasping for an explanation. All kinds of theories are being preached on every hand. Too often good people become victims of quick, unscriptural, unreasonable theories concerning this vital concern of all Christians regardless of the denomination. Thus such questions as these are clamoring the minds of the people: Is Christ coming? Are we living in the last days? Is the end of the world near? Who is the anti-Christ?

"In the light of present conditions and in the midst of so many prophetic declarations, and because millions of honest people are seeking light, we are submitting to this community three sermons on this subject with the purpose of searching the scriptures for a sound, safe revelation concerning future events. These sermons will germinate from the following thoughts: 'Prophecy Speculation and the Second Coming'; 'Prophecy and Signs of the Times,' and 'Prophecy and Revivals of Religion.'

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Application Filed for Emergency Feed Plan

Jones County drouth emergency feed committee has made formal request to the state committee to get Jones County reinstated in the program, according to Bill Lehberg, county agent, a member of the county committee.

If the county is approved, formal notice will be given to the three county newspapers. Then anyone needing feed can secure an application blank at the ASC office, FHA office or the county agent's office in Anson.

RETURN UNUSED ACRES.

Texas cotton producers can plant more cotton in 1956 than was harvested in 1955 if they make full use of the state's allocated acreage. Producers who have received a cotton allotment and do not intend to plant the entire acreage are urged by the Texas ASC to return the acres not to be planted to the local county ASC office for reallocation to other producers in the county.

AGRICULTURE EXPORTS UP.

Exports of agricultural commodities from the U. S. during the July-November, 1955, period were four per cent larger than for the same period in 1954. Cotton exports, however, were less than those for the 1954 period.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wainscott Sr. have received word that their grandson, Doug Sorley, age three, is a victim of leukemia. He is in the Baylor Hospital at Dallas, where he is responding satisfactorily to treatment. The child's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sorley of Wichita Falls. Sorley is an instructor at Midwestern University and also head of the Wesley Foundation there.



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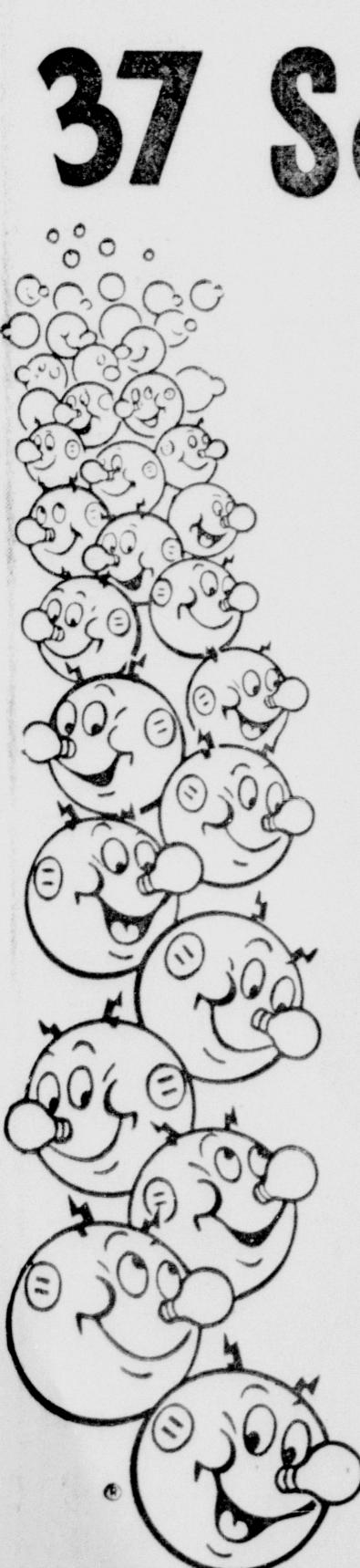
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The Herald's Page of Sports



Pied Piper Cagers Drop to Cellar in Week's League Play

Yellowhammers Win Two in Row To Rise in Ratings

The Yellowhammer cagers from Rotan High School made it two conference wins in a row Tuesday night when they trounced the Hamlin Pied Pipers on their own court by a 53 to 37 count. Their victory last Friday night over the Anson Tigers helped them to snap out of a tie in the cellar post with Hamlin which the two teams occupied last week.

Jim Finch bucketed 22 points for the Yellowhammers to lead the scoring parade, and Don Adair was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 tallies.

Box score on the A game follows:

Team	F. W.	L.	Pts.
Stamford	6	5	1
Colorado City	5	3	2
Anson	6	2	4
Rotan	6	2	4
Hamlin	5	1	4
Totals	36	15	37

DISTRICT CAGE STANDINGS

McCaulley Teams Beat Highland in Double Cage Bill

Stamford's Bulldog cagers took undisputed lead of the District 4-AA basketball race Tuesday night after eking out two wins during the past week. Hamlin dropped to the cellar spot again by losing its only conference tilt to Rotan Tuesday night. Their victory last Friday night over the Anson Tigers helped them to snap out of a tie in the cellar post with Hamlin which the two teams occupied last week.

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Team	F. G.	Ft.	Pts.
Hamlin	3	1	7
Lane Fletcher, f.	5	0	10
Don Adair, f.	5	2	6
Dee Prent, c.	2	2	6
Clarence Parker, g.	3	0	6
Ken Hewett, g.	3	2	8
Totals	16	5	37

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Measures Designed to Raise Standards Of Living for Farmers Being Promoted

Hamlin area farmers will be interested in measures designed to help farmers attain a high and rising standard of living without continuous government accumulation of surpluses and without production controls as proposed in a report by the research and policy committee of the Commission for Economic Development at Washington.

In a detailed study of the farm problem, the committee recommended that the costs of necessary economic readjustments for agriculture be shared by the country as a whole, rather than being borne entirely by farmers.

1-A Draftees May Be Put in Army Reserve

Young men of the Hamlin area are advised that the state selective service director, Colonel Morris S. Schwartz, this week announced receipt of official regulations which authorize draft boards to select certain men for ready reserve units of the Army.

Men selected must be limited to those who have occupations or activities in critical defense supporting industry, or research affecting national defense. Draft boards have a detailed list of these occupations and activities. Men selected must also be in Class I-A.

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Prolonged Drought Awakens Farmers To Conservation

The nation faces "an accumulation of problems that have become urgent and that, because of their size and character, agriculture cannot handle by itself," the committee said, adding that "there is no quick and easy way out of our present farm difficulties." It identified three fundamental problems requiring public action: (1) Too much production of some farm products; (2) too much instability of farmers' incomes; (3) too many full time farm families with very low incomes.

To deal with the problem of surplus crops, the committee recommended "a combination of continued price supports at gradually reduced levels, coupled with a program to pay farmers to take some land out of production." Governmental rental of this land, primarily wheat acreage should be geared to bringing production and consumption into balance over a transitional period of perhaps five years, it said.

To deal with the problem of unstable incomes the committee recommended "moderating extreme price fluctuations through a system of flexible price supports or income payments and a storage program. These devices would not be used to affect the long-run movement of prices but would protect farmers against sharp and temporary swings of prices and income."

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Roger Babson Discusses School Costs And Better Salaries for Class Teachers

This week's release to The Herald from Roger W. Babson, eminent economist and analyst, discusses school costs and teachers' salaries. Babson says both teachers and taxpayers are concerned. His article follows:

Let me start out by saying my sympathies are distinctly with the school teachers and especially with the school principals. It is true that truck drivers are getting more pay than school teachers. Morally this seems unjust, but the fact is that the employers have substituted motors for horses and big trucks for wagons. These trucks carry as much in a day as the old horses and wagons carried in a week. In other words, the employers have adopted methods which enable the

truck drivers to have increased wages.

Painters today are paid double what they were 20 years ago; but employers have adopted sprayers in place of hand brushes. Carpenters are getting double; but the employers are supplying them with electric saws instead of hand saws.

The school committees and the city fathers, on the other hand, have not done much of anything to help the teachers do more efficient work.

As an employer, I pay my typists double what I used to pay them; but with electric typewriters and other machinery they give me double the work. The doctor costs us more a visit; but he is making us live longer. Hard-covered books cost more; but we can get the same thing for half the price with paper covers. Radios, washing machines and TVs have all improved in quality, and hence profit returns offset the wage increases.

Let us consider who benefits from the increased costs of modern school buildings. Twenty per cent of this increased cost is due to unnecessary classroom space,

glass windows unused ventilation, and rules or regulations put through by the labor unions and similar associations.

Fifty per cent of the increased cost is due to plumbing, electrical work, modern kitchens, fancy gymnasiums, auditoriums to please the public.

Unfortunately, the teachers' future probably awaits some very important research. The schools are spending billions a year to park and lunch children, but—unlike our large industries—are spending very little on fundamental research. We understand the psychology of a cow better than the psychology of a child. Those who control education do not know the difference between a "brain" and a "mind," to say nothing about the probabilities of extrasensory perception and the use of numbers rather than sentences.

Possibilities of the mind are tremendous. But teachers may be obliged to supplement their teaching by giving pupils prescribed diets, or new undiscovered drugs, or electric impulses. Education also may take an active interest in eugenics. As Sir George Thompson is reported to say, "What the brain can foresee presents the greatest promise that lies ahead."

Surely, the time required for a conventional education will be cut 75 per cent, schools will graduate far more efficient pupils, and teachers will be paid what they are worth, or else they will be replaced by UNIVAC machines.

Information Days Set on Mondays for Income Taxpayers

Hamlin area taxpayers are reminded that Monday was the first taxpayer information day to be held at the internal revenue office, according to the administrative officer in charge, Howard O. Nichols. On Monday mornings between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. the revenue service will have trained tax men available to answer taxpayers' questions.

Taxpayer information days will be held each Monday morning until April 16. Nichols suggested that most taxpayers will find that early preparation in filing of the 1955 federal income tax return is a much better remedy or the average taxpayer's annual headache than taking aspirin for three months and then hunting some one to do it for him.

About 720,000 refund checks are mailed each year, out of the 1,250,000 tax returns filed in the Dallas district. Thousands of other taxpayers owe practically no tax at all. Over 50 per cent of our taxpayers enjoy a refund check instead of signing a check for Uncle Sam. These taxpayers should file immediately.

Nichols reminded taxpayers that residents of the Dallas district should make checks payable to, and send returns to the District Director of Internal Revenue, 2101 Pacific Avenue, Dallas.

MORE COMMON NAME.

"Tom, are you ever troubled with sleeplessness?"

"I sure am. Some nights I don't sleep three hours."

"I pity you then. I've got it bad and have been afflicted now for about three years. The doctor calls it neuro insomnia paroxysm."

"I've had it about six months; but we call it a baby."

Secretaries Sought for Duty with Red Cross

Secretaries or stenographers who are interested in overseas work with the American Red Cross are urged to write to the organization's midwestern area headquarters at St. Louis, Missouri, or their own local Red Cross chapters.

An immediate demand for women stenographers to fill job vacancies in the Far East was made public by Beth Bruce, personnel director at the Red Cross midwestern area.



THIRTH SPEAKER in the series being presented at the First Methodist Church on topics of Christian vocations is Mrs. C. C. Coffee (above) of Lubbock, who will speak Sunday evening on "Leader Among Women." Mrs. Coffee is president of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Northwest Texas Conference.

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